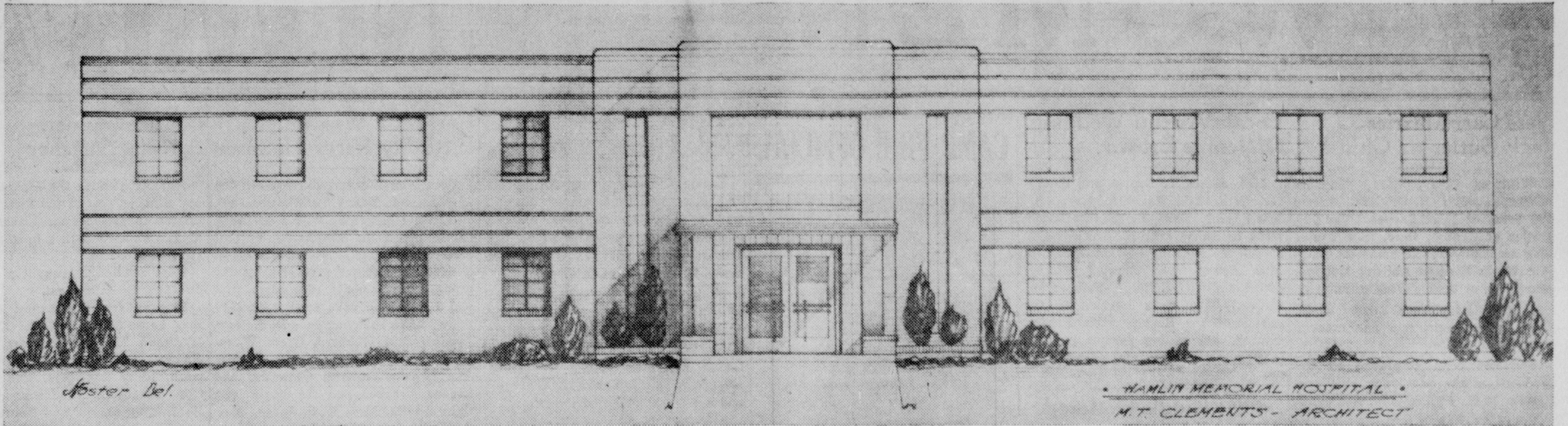


Preview of Very Important Addition to Hamlin's Skyline



Here is the suggested first unit for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital building, which officials of the project hope to have ready for contractors' bids by June 15. The building would be 92 feet long, 32½ feet wide, except the center reception section, which will have a six-foot projection to the front, and a six-foot extension for the rear vestibule, making the center part 44½ feet wide. Preliminary floor plans show the two stories will have about 35 rooms, plus a seven-foot corridor extending the full length. Architect's estimate of cost is \$35,000. The structure contemplates most of the present-day conveniences and comforts and will be so constructed to permit additions as needs for the expansion are justified.

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Cotton Yield For County 42,908 Bales

DESPITE EARLY PREDICTION OF LOW HARVEST, WEATHER HELPS RAISE TOTAL

Pessimists of the West Texas area who predicted early in the season that the Jones County cotton crop for last season would be a dud were given a jolt this week when the official figures for the crop year were released.

According to tabulations made by Bowen Pope, special agent for Jones County, official bales ginned in the county for the year ending March 1, 1946, were 42,608 bales.

Early predictions last fall, when crop prospects were looking bad due to lack of moisture and other disparaging conditions, were that the county would gin only around 30,000 bales—probably as low as 25,000.

But one of the best harvest seasons in the history of cotton growing in this section permitted the highest percentage of the crop to be gathered in the memory of many old-timers. No damaging, blowing rains came to the area after the crop began to mature, and even high winds were almost what "used to happen" in the minds of cotton growers.

The 42,608-bale count by the Department of Agriculture census on cotton compared with 43,869 bales for the 1945 season—meaning a drop of only 1,261 bales from the previous year that looked brighter earlier than last year's season.

Johnnie Hines shipped some cattle to Fort Worth last week, and he and Mrs. Hines went down Thursday to the Fat Stock Show and rodeo and to visit relatives over the week-end.

ROTARY PRESIDENT



Tom Teague, genial manager of Bryant-Link Company, will be the new man in the chair for Hamlin Rotary Club when the fiscal year begins July 1. He was elected by the local civic organization last Wednesday at regular weekly meeting of the group. Installation services are to be held the latter part of June.

ABOUT 75 PERCENT OF AREA AUTOISTS GET CAR LICENSES

About 75 per cent of the Hamlin area car owners were sporting new auto licenses on their cars this week as deadline for purchase of the 1946 plates neared, according to Mrs. Arlene Morgan, issuing agent for this part of Jones County.

With probably 300 more licenses to go, 675 tags had been issued by the Hamlin licenseers at the Morgan Insurance Agency. Usually in years past between 700 and 800 passenger car tags are issued by the Hamlin office, and from 200 to 300 truck and pick-up licenses issued.

Auto owners are reminded again that Saturday will be the final day for securing tags and putting them on old cars without penalty. Owners are urged to present last year's certificates of title and the 1945 license receipts when applying for new tags.

Mardell Lynch Goes to Oregon for Speakings

Mardell Lynch, minister of Hamlin Church of Christ, left Tuesday for Oregon, where he will be engaged in a three-week revival meeting with the McMinville Church of Christ.

W. R. Smith, vice president of Abilene Christian College, will occupy the pulpit of the local Church of Christ at both services Sunday, congregation leaders tell The Herald.

Cowgirls To Feature New Rodeo Event

AREA SPONSORS BEING SOUGHT FOR TWO-DAY SHOW—TWO NEW CONTESTS ADDED

A colorful parade of cowgirls will be a new feature of the Hamlin Rodeo when the two-day celebration is staged in Hamlin April 12 and 13, officials of the Hamlin Rodeo Association declared this week.

Entries in the community sponsor contest were being arranged by Mrs. E. M. Wilson, manager of the Chamber of Commerce. Letters of invitation to more than a score of area towns were put in the mails early this week, asking that community sponsors be appointed.

Since first official announcement last week that the boots and saddle exhibition would be staged early this year, rodeo officials state that many favorable comments have been heard from contestants and local citizens, who believe the April exhibition will get attendants from a wide area before farm and ranch work might interfere with their attending.

Arena Director Luther Marr states that he has already checked over the performance grounds at the city ball park and declares that with a few minor improvements the equipment is ready to stage a fast moving event this year.

Amateur contestants only will be permitted to enter the five roping and riding events, it is announced. Prizes totaling more than \$1,000 have been posted in these contests.

Decision late last week to add a cutting horse contest and a calf scramble will add more prize money to the \$1,000 previously announced.

Some fine cattle horses are in prospect as entrants in the cutting horse events, in which prizes of \$85 will be given.

In the calf scramble cash prizes will be given to contestants who can not be over 16 years of age.

Bingo Party at Celotex Raises Red Cross Fund

More than half the community's Red Cross quota of \$175 was raised Friday evening at Celotex at a bingo party, announces Mrs. John O. Lewis, community chairman. She declares that the balance of the goal will have been raised by the time The Herald is printed.

Assisted by Mmes. C. C. Maxwell, Ben Parker and Toby Waggoner, Mrs. Lewis states that a good crowd attended the Friday festivities at the Celotex club house, when \$93 was raised.

COMMITTEES FOR C. OF C. NAMED BY ROLAND FOR YEAR

President O. D. Roland of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce has announced the following committees for the civic group for the ensuing year:

Membership and Finance—Clyde R. Angel, chairman; Claud Lancaster and Haskell W. Carter.

Agriculture and Livestock—John D. Ferguson, chairman; L. H. McBride, T. H. Houghton, F. B. Moore, Curtis Martin and Tom Teague.

Highways—W. C. Russell, chairman; John O. Lewis, Paul Bryan and Holly Toler.

Publicity—Fred Smith, chairman; Willard Jones and Mrs. B. S. Ferguson.

Recreation and Sports—J. S. Inzer, chairman; E. C. Feagan, Bill Burnett, A. Hudson and Art Carmichael.

Civic, Sanitation and Health—I. R. Witt, chairman; Arlene Morgan, Dr. Claude H. Chastain, J. B. Terrell, Dr. Don Gould, Joe A. Simpson and Dr. W. C. Weir.

Trade Extension—Tate May, chairman; W. L. Boyd, C. R. Reynolds, R. H. McCurdy, Frank Waggoner, Ted Russell, B. M. Brundage and Jim Howard King.

Entertainment—Joe L. Culbertson, chairman; A. Spencer and Pat Marlow.

James T. May on Way Home from Europe Tilt

A cablegram was received first of the week by Mr. and Mrs. Tate May of Hamlin from their son, Technician Fourth Grade James T. May, stating that he was on his way home. The cable came from Nuremberg, Germany.

Young May has been in the service since May 10, 1943. After receiving basic training at Camp Maxey, near Paris, he was sent to Camp Shelby, Mississippi, where the 65th Division was activated, and he sailed with that outfit for overseas duty in January, 1945. Following the unit across Germany, May was in Austria on V-E Day.

A junior at Baylor University, Waco, when he entered the service, young May is expected home by Easter, his parents state.

No New Names Filed For City Ticket Places

No new candidates had been certified for places on the city election ballot Wednesday at noon, according to Mrs. Clinton Borrow.

Election to name a mayor and three aldermen will be held April 6 in Hamlin. Seven names had been certified for the ticket previous to last week's issue of The Herald.

Sketches of Hamlin Hospital Received

HORSE ENROLLS TOO

A Hamlin man and his horse are together again—both are students at Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

When George Dean of Hamlin recently went to Tech to enroll as a student he refused to become a student unless his horse could have board and room.

The agricultural department came to the rescue and now both are students.

LEWIS CONFIRMED AS MANAGER FOR CELOTEX CONCERN

Formal announcement has been made by the Celotex Corporation of the appointment of John O. Lewis as works manager of the Hamlin division of the concern. He has been acting manager since November.

Lewis is a native of Georgia and received his education at the Georgia School of Technology, where he was a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. He began his business career with the Certain-teed Products Corporation in their New York office. Later he was sent to their Texas plant, where he gained long experience in production and plant management. In 1941 he came to Hamlin as board plant superintendent for the Texas Cement Plaster Company, which was purchased by the Celotex Corporation last year.

Mr. Lewis is married and has two children, a daughter who is in college and a son 10 years old.

Thomas Carter Visits In Hamlin with Friends

Thomas A. Carter, former Hamlin resident, was here visiting old friends this week and looking back on nearly seven years of service with his Uncle Sam's Navy. He recently received his discharge while holding a machinist's mate first class rating.

Seeing service on the USS Pennsylvania, Ogala and Aircraft Carrier Hornet, Carter also served with the P-T squadron during early raids on Jap strongholds in the Pacific.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter Sr. of Roswell, New Mexico, the ex-Navy man was visiting in the R. V. Teague and Loren Griffin homes. He plans to enter the College of Mines at Golden, Colorado, soon.

COMPLETED PLANS EXPECTED TO BE READY FOR BIDDERS BY MIDDLE OF JUNE

Preliminary sketches of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital were received last week-end from the architect by officials of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association. The principal sketch is reproduced on page one of today's Herald.

First suggested unit for the hospital will be 92 feet long, 32½ feet wide, except the center reception section, which will have a six-foot projection to the front and a six-foot extension for the rear vestibule, making the center part 44½ feet wide.

Preliminary floor plans show the two stories will have about 35 rooms plus a seven-foot corridor extending the full length. All fireproof construction will be used in the building.

Estimate of cost of the structure has been placed by the architect at \$35,000. The building contemplates most of the present day conveniences and comforts, and will be so constructed to permit additions on each end of the frontal section as development of the hospital is made. Ultimate street frontage will be 202 feet, leaving room on a full city block for a T extension from the rear center as memberships in the hospital grow in number.

Materials will be brick, tile, concrete and iron with very little wood or combustible materials used anywhere.

Hospital association officials point out that a structure of this type will not permit over-rushing, for time is the smallest factor in creating an institution of this nature and importance.

Directors of the hospital have assurance of a full block of land to be deeded free to the association. Location is ideal from every point of view. It will likely be in the west part of Hamlin, on or near Highway 92. Announcement will be made as soon as definite papers have been signed.

Next week a complete list of all families signed up for the hospital will be published in a page advertisement in The Herald. Officials declare the number should run well over 300 by Tuesday night, April 2.

"If your name is not on the list of members already, please let your support be felt so your friends and neighbors may know you are interested in building a hospital for this area of country about Hamlin," said

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WOMEN

IN THE



NEWS



Tess Carr Marries Jack Butler of Ohio

Winifred (Tess) Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carr, became the bride of First Sergeant Jack E. Butler of Canton, Ohio, in a double ring ceremony at the home of Chaplain W. E. King at Abilene Monday, March 11, at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. Butler wore a Levine model powder blue suit, and her corsage was of gardenias.

She has been employed by the government the past year at Washington, D. C., as a civil service clerk.

Sergeant Butler has been in the armed forces the past year, serving in the European Theater of Operations the last 12 months.

On Saturday, March 23, Mrs. J. W. Roberts and Mrs. J. O. Lewis honor and Mrs. Butler with a miscellaneous bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Lewis.

About 40 guests were entertained, and the bride was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

A dainty refreshment plate was served at the conclusion of the affair.

Locals Attend Wedding Of Jennie Brown

Mrs. James T. Brown and daughter, Mrs. Edd Rodgers, Mrs. Carl Isbell and Mrs. B. E. Patterson went to Dallas over the week-end to attend the wedding of Jennie Brown. Miss Brown was married Sunday afternoon to Emmett Farmer of Dallas. They were married by the pastor of the Beverly Hills Baptist Church, one of her former pastors. Members of the families attended the ceremony.

Louise Riddle Honored At Bridal Shower

Honoring Louise Riddle a bridal shower was given in the home of Mrs. L. E. Warnell Friday afternoon with Mrs. L. C. Houghton and Mrs. C. M. Polk as hostesses.

Mrs. Normie Crowley gave a reading, and Mrs. Gene Hopper read "How I Love The."

Refreshments were served to about 35 women. The honoree received 80 lovely gifts.

Miss Riddle will be married Sunday to Roy Kilpatrick of Abilene.

Party for Kenneth Neal Given Tuesday

Kenneth Neal, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Neal, celebrated his eighth birthday Tuesday afternoon with a party given by his mother.

Ice cream and cake were served to Lu Sara Dean, Billy Crow, Evelyn Kidwell, Melvin Hames, Tommy Martin, Ann White, Patricia Stewart, Gwendolyn Brown, Hazel Crow, Louise Bevels, Erma Faye Kelly and the honoree.

CAMP FIRE OFFICIAL



Edith Kempthorne, the Great Lady of Camp Fire, whose birthday was observed last week by the Camp Fire Girls, was celebrated by Hamlin area girls with lunches, parties, outdoor recreation and church attendance. Miss Kempthorne was a concert pianist and gave up her career to enrich lives of others through Camp Fire.

Hamlin Methodist Women Attend Meet

Mmes. C. J. Preston, C. P. Yeats and R. L. Moore of Hamlin were attendants last week from Wednesday until Friday at the sixth annual meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference convening at Sweetwater.

Two hundred and twenty-five had registered when the conference opened Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. J. H. Rutherford of Stamford was installed as president during the closing session Friday morning. Mrs. Clyde Barton had charge of the installation service. Others installed were Mrs. George Robertson of Childress, vice president; Mrs. Sam L. Seay of Amarillo, recording secretary; and Mrs. E. E. Traweck of Abilene, treasurer.

One of the conference highlights was the Thursday evening talk of Dorothy McConnell of New York City, editor of The World Outlook. Miss McConnell devoted this talk to her experience as one of the 42 women who sat in on the United Nations Conference at San Francisco as consultants. She reiterated her faith in the charter and her belief that "Russia will finally understand us, and we the Russians."

Mrs. Art Carmichael Hosts Literary Club

Mrs. Art Carmichael was hostess to the Woman's Literary Club last Friday afternoon.

Parliamentary procedure was given by Mrs. Carmichael, and program was under direction of Mrs. Walter Sneed, director for the afternoon. Mrs. W. J. Poe discussed "Time Club Bureau Service." Mrs. Tate May brought a "News Review of the Month," and Mrs. Sneed concluded the program by testing the mentality of the club with a "Time Bureau Monthly Quiz."

R. Y. Barrow left over the week-end for North and South Carolina and Tennessee furniture marts to purchase furniture stocks for the Barrow Furniture Company. He will be gone about two weeks.

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Koleta Clements in H-SU Honor Sorority

Koleta Clements, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clements of Hamlin was one of 12 students recently elected to membership in Alpha Chi scholarship sorority at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Each year the upper 10 per cent of the junior and senior classes are chosen to become members of Alpha Chi. With scholarship as the chief factor in eligibility, a student must also have a high character rating and a good attendance record.

Alpha Chi was first organized on the campus of Hardin-Simmons in 1925 under the name of the Scholarship Societies of Texas. Later the name was changed to the Scholarship Societies of the Southwest and finally to Alpha Chi. H-SU's chapter was named the Julius Olsen chapter of Alpha Chi in honor of the late dean of the university.

Frances Ubben, accompanied by Billie Sue White, both students at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Ubben at Hamlin over the week-end.

Carl Max Weaver Birthday Party Honoree

Carl Max Weaver, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Irby Weaver, was entertained March 24 with a birthday party given in his home by his mother.

After games were played by the group, refreshments of eskimo pies and angel food cake were served to these little playmates: Don Poe, Thersa Ann Hubbard, Oram Weaver Jr., David Noel Weaver, Brentz Ann Crow, Wortham Crow Jr. and Lagena Weaver and the host; and these adults, Mrs. M. S. Jones, Mrs. O. H. Weaver, Mrs. Wortham Crow, Mrs. J. L. Weaver, and the hostess, Mrs. Irby Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Griffin of Ackerly and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hudson and son, Cling Jr., of Coleman were week-end guests of Mrs. A. G. Hudson and family.

Baptist Women Surprise Teacher

Monday at noon the Alathean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church surprised their teacher, Mrs. R. A. Crockett, with a luncheon party at her home.

Each attendant brought a covered dish for the noon meal.

Present for the happy occasion were Letha Maberry, Jewel Mayfield, Myrtabell McLaughlin, Mrs. C. C. Maxwell, Lois Patterson, Bertie Patterson, Ruby Poe, Mrs. Ben Parker, Gene Robinson, Irene Dutton, P. D. Harkins, O. G. Harvey, Henry Holloway, E. B. Watson, Marie Vaughn, John Walton and Mrs. M. Y., class mother, and the teacher, Kitty Crockett.

Colonel M. C. Culbertson of Vernon, was a guest first of the week of his brother, Mayor Joe Culbertson, and family.

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HAMLIN HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES NOSED OUT BY ANSON IN INTER-CITY TRACK MEET

Hamlin High School athletes showed improvement from their first competitive meeting with Stamford two weeks ago when they were nosed out Monday at the county seat by Anson High School in a try-out of track and field boys. The points favored Anson 68 to 62.

Four first places and seven second places were won by the locals.

Rogers of Anson was high point man for the event. Brad Rowland was high for Hamlin with 12 points, and Doyle Dean pushed him with 11½ points to take third.

Bennie Houghton won first in the broad jump with a leap of 18 feet 1½ inches. J. D. Rogers was third and Doyle Dean was fourth in the same event.

Brad Rowland heaved the shotput for 34 feet 5 inches to take first. Ray Myers was second and Yuel Ulmer was third in the shotput.

In the mile run Johnny Steel took first honors with a time of four minutes 46 seconds. Roland Goodgame was second and Joe Wayne Carter placed fourth.

Doyle Dean came in second on the 440-yard dash.

Doyle Dean and Brad Rowland tied for second in the pole vault with nine feet six inches. Arthur Tom Carlton placed fourth with a vault of nine feet three inches.

In the high jump Arthur Tom Carlton placed second and Rowland was third. Caffey of Anson took first with a jump of five feet four inches.

In the 880-yard dash Bobby Jack Riley of Hamlin was second and Billy Franks was third. Charles Newland placed fourth.

Ulmer took third in the discus throw, which event was won by Rogers of Anson.

Doyle Dean tied with an Anson boy for second in the 220-yard dash. J. D. Rogers was second in the 100-yard dash with time of 10.8 seconds. Brad Rowland was fourth.

In the 200-yard low hurdles Joe Weir took third and Joe Wayne Carter placed fourth.

The Hamlin relay teams that took first and second placings at Stamford the week before could only get second at Anson. The foursome composed of Riley, Houghton, Rowland and Dean, carried Hamlin's baton.

Law Firm at Turner Building.

When the new law firm of Turner & Martin was formed last week the offices were arranged at the rear of the City Drug Store building, adjoining the Turner Insurance Agency. W. F. Martin Jr. of the firm had maintained offices for several weeks over the bank.

PROTECTS CATCH



This able fisherman won't have to concoct any alibis or "fish stories." He wisely places his two-pound black bass in a "stay alive" cotton duck bag instead of hooking the fish on a conventional type stringer. The bag keeps fish alive, protects them against snakes and turtles, and does not hang on brush and water weeds.

Major John Reynolds Visiting at McCaulley

Major John H. Reynolds of McCaulley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reynolds of Hamlin, is home on terminal leave from the Army after nearly four years of service, including 18 months' duty in 10 different countries in the European theater. He and his family, including his seven-year-old daughter, Linda Lee, plan to live at Clovis, New Mexico.

A 1929 graduate of Hamlin High School and foreman of the International Harvester Company at Abilene, Reynolds received his basic training in ordnance at Aberdeen, Maryland, and his first field assignment at Camp Polk. Overseas, he served as commander of the 542nd Heavy Maintenance Ordnance Company with the Seventh Army.

Reynard C. Brown in U. S.

Among West Texans docking last week-end at New York from the European theater was Technician Fourth Grade Reynard C. Brown of Hamlin. Brown was expected home this week after several months of service in the ETO.

14 AREA SCHOOLS FILE FOR PLACES IN DISTRICT 5-A MEET

Fourteen area schools had been certified for this week for participation in the District 5A Interscholastic League track and field meet, scheduled at the McMurry College stadium in Abilene April 6.

This was the advice from Superintendent E. M. Connell of Anson, general director for the meet. Coach Gene Sosebee of Anson is director of track and field events for the district.

Competing schools will be Anson, Albany, Colorado City, Hamlin, Haskell, Loriane, Merkel, Roscoe, Rotan, Rule, Snyder, Stamford, Reagan Junior of Sweetwater, and Throckmorton.

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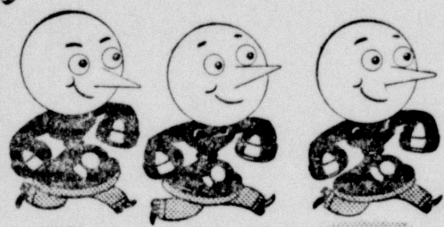


Here's important news for young men 18 and over (17 with parents' consent). Under the GI Bill of Rights, if you enlist in the U. S. Army before October 6, 1946, for 3 years, upon your discharge you will be entitled to 48 months of college, trade or business school education. Tuition up to \$500 per ordinary school year will be paid. And you will receive \$65 monthly living allowance—\$90 if you are married. Get the facts at your nearest U. S. Army Recruiting Station.

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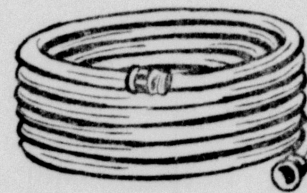
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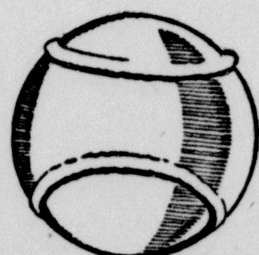


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NOW IS GOOD TIME TO PAY-AS-GO

Reports from down Austin-way this week are very encouraging as far as the financial situation of our state is concerned. Good cash balances are reported in practically all funds of the State of Texas.

Our Lone Star State has long had a reputation in the nation of conducting its business affairs on a poor-pay basis. The general fund has been "in the red" most of the time for the past several decades, which has cost our state much added expense in interest paid on warrants issued against the general fund when there was a huge deficit in the tills.

Reports submitted by C. H. Cavness, state auditor, for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1945, showed cash in the state treasury in all funds as totaling \$75,752,694.38. Of this amount the general fund tallied a balance of \$13,412,274.63.

Cash talks. The rule applies to states, counties, cities as well as individuals. Now is the ideal time for our state to go on a pay-as-you-go basis. And shrewd business men at Austin will see to it that such a plan is followed. Politicians who place their own personal attainments and political aspirations above business frugality will have little interest in such a cash policy for the state.

LUMBERMEN TRY TO SELL LEGITIMATELY

Nearly all of our merchants are suffering nowadays from the malady of "little merchandise." The country's reconversion program is much slower than all of us thought, caused to a great extent by bottlenecks in supply, strikes, desire for price increases to offset increased production costs by the manufacturer. But our lumber dealers have a problem that is more acute than other lines.

Because most of the dealers handle chiefly lumber, when this one commodity is unobtainable, not only is their business almost stalemated, but all those who want to build business houses, homes, outbuildings and other construction suffer with the lumbermen.

The lumbermen face this peculiar circumstance: There are plenty of trees in the forests; there are plenty of sawmills to produce millions of feet of much-wanted lumber; there are thousands of laborers who are ready to work in the industry—but, because the OPA will not permit increases in the price of lumber sufficient to offset much increased labor costs and other basic expenditures in the industry, the mills are producing lumber for other channels that are more profitable than through the regular retail lumber channels.

Hamlin lumbermen can do little about the lumber shortage. They are rightly entitled to the lumber business that is now being conducted under a black market basis. They will supply the needs of the community when the lumber is available through legitimate channels.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS OBSERVE BIRTHDAY

A group of our prominent citizens observed a birthday last week. It was not their own natal birthdays but the birth of a great movement that is helping to mold the lives of those who participate in the activities that are fostered by the organization. March 17, 1912, was the birth date of the Camp Fire Girls, and the organization took occasion to pause to reflect on some outstanding accomplishments during the thirty-four years of its existence.

People who have attained maturity are the ones looked to for leadership. Our business firms, our economic plans, our government and our social system are formulated and operated by grown-ups. They are charged with the success or failure. Most people probably believe that there could be considerably more successes than there are, that there is a cure for many of the ills which beset us.

A great many of our ills are caused because we do not have the same views about problems. Our views are different because we are not taught the same things, or because the teaching is not correct. The shortcomings are widely recognized, and even those with opposing views on various problems endorse the training received by the Camp Fire Girls. They are taught how to be good citizens, and none of us should underestimate the value of things they are taught.

Camp Fire Girls learn how to cooperate with others, how to be tolerant of the opinions of others, how to use their skills and develop their talents. Those who master the fundamental principles of the organization make good citizens because they have in later life precisely the qualities that mature people need to become leaders and valuable members of society.

Grown people might well adapt to their own mode of life some of the lessons that are taught to Camp Fire Girls.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

LET THE LITTLE BRATS STARVE

The above caption seems to express the sentiment of a considerable portion of the population of the United States.

A Gallup poll recently taken reveals that "An overwhelming majority of Americans are favorably disposed toward a program to cut down food consumption here in order to send more food to Europe," but the figures set out in the report indicate that a selfish and unfeeling minority consisting of many millions of people are intent on stuffing their own stomachs regardless of the cries of starving children across the seas.

The question propounded in the Gallup poll was this: "Would you eat less meat and use less flour in order to send more food to the people of Europe?"

We are gratified that 67 per cent of the answers were "yes"—but we were horrified to note that 22 per cent of them were "no." Eleven per cent declined or neglected to express an opinion.

Twenty-two per cent of the population of the United States would be about 30,000,000 people. Is it possible that there are 30,000,000 people in the United States who would not be willing to take a crumb from their tables to send to the hungry, ragged, emaciated orphans of Europe to help save them from starvation? That is what their answers indicate.

And yet we boast of being the most enlightened and humane people on the face of the earth. Yes, we call ourselves a Christian nation. The above figures would indicate, however, that there are about 30,000,000 heathens in the United States, among whom we should begin doing missionary work at once.

No Christian will ever ask the question: "Am I my brother's keeper?" No Christian will ever say: "Let the little brats starve."—Lynn County News Tahoka.

Camp Fire Girls Visit Herald Plant and See Making of Newspaper

As part of their celebration of the thirty-fourth birthday of Camp Fire Girls, the group sponsored in Hamlin by the American Legion Auxiliary visited The Hamlin Herald plant Wednesday afternoon. The visit was made to acquaint the girls with some form of manufacturing process in the community.

Led by Mmes. Joe McCrary, Roy Flowers and M. T. Hudson, guardians, the girls saw The Herald in the making; observed the linotype in operation; saw how illustrations for advertisements were made; and were shown the plant's Meihle automatic press in operation.

Visiting the newspaper plant were Kathryn Ritchey, Susanne Hudson Janie Beth Dutton, Barbara Kay Flowers, Meta June Carter, Nona White, Mary Lu Roland, Laverne Higdon, Grovena Sipe, Sue McCrary Janet Durham, Peggy Jo McCleary Glenna Brewer and Dana Kay Dane.

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Government should begin now to live within its means

During the war government necessarily spent huge sums of money. Yet, with the war over, the government plans to spend four times as much in the coming year as it spent in the highest pre-war year.

Most thoughtful people believe that government expenditures are now far greater than they need be.

They believe that government, like a family, should live within its means... that it should not spend more than it takes in... that it should not keep on going deeper into debt.

Yet that is exactly what's happening today. Our government is spending billions more than it takes in. And it continues to borrow to make up the difference.

This is the kind of money-handling that causes inflation.

Economy in government means money in your pocket

If the American people — through Congress — will reduce government spending and take steps to encourage production, inflation will be stopped... and this is the only way it can be stopped.

Write your representatives in Congress today.

Urge them to cut the cost of government, eliminating all waste... all unnecessary services... and postponing all expenditures that can be put off until our war bills have been paid.

Urge them to make the government start living within its means... at a level that you and your neighbors can afford to pay.

You'll see the results soon in the cost of everything that you buy... food, clothing and everything else. And you'll be doing your country a real service.

YOUR DOLLARS... a postcard to the National Association of Manufacturers, 14 West 49th Street, New York 20, N. Y., will bring your copy of this informative booklet on government spending—a subject which is all-important to you.

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CATTLEMEN URGED MARKET STOCK TO RELIEVE PASTURES

Overstocked ranges and short feed supplies are endangering the Texas livestock industry, Hamlin section ranchers are advised by B. F. Vance, state director of the Production Mar-

Abilene Woman to Give Book Review Sunday

Review of the book, "Investment in Christian Religion" will be a feature of the observance of Library Day Sunday at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Chester O'Brien of Abilene will give the review at 3:00 p. m. at the church, to which the public is invited, church officials state.

The Hamlin church library will be open all during the day, when the reading of good books will be emphasized in other services at the church.

Hamlin Folks to Attend Stamford CC Banquet

Several Hamlin citizens indicated Wednesday they would attend the annual banquet of the Stamford Board of City Development next Friday evening at the Round-Up Hall of the Texas Cowboy Reunion Grounds.

Principal speaker will be Roberto de la Rosa of Mexico City, an exchange student from the Mexican government. Mr. de la Rosa has been in this country the past five years stressing the necessity of better inter-American relations.

Marketing Administration field service branch, in urging that cattle marketings be speeded up.

"A slight change in the weather for the worse might result in tremendous losses of livestock," Vance declared. "It is highly important that the number of cattle both on the range and on feed be cut considerably in order to keep cattle and feed supply in balance."

In addition, the PMA official said, delayed marketings now might result in congestion and jamming of marketing facilities later on. In order to avoid such congestion, producers should contact their marketing agents before shipping cattle to make sure the market can handle them.

Demand for meat is high, Vance said, and it is important that livestock move to market in an orderly manner but fast enough to keep packing plants operating at capacity.

PARENTS URGED TO SEE THAT CHILDREN ARE ENUMERATED

Hamlin-area parents are urged this week by school officials to see that all scholastics have been enumerated by Saturday deadline for the official count upon which state apportionment for the next school session will be based.

H. P. McLaughlin, who is directing the "nose counting" in Hamlin Independent School District, particularly is anxious for all parents who have children who will become six years of age before September to see that their children are included in the enumeration.

If any child has been missed by the enumerator, the parent of such child should contact Principal McLaughlin or the school office in the high school building not later than Saturday night.

Present indications are that the 1946-47 scholastic census will exceed that of last year.

McLaughlin points out that for every scholastic the school district receives approximately \$30 per capita from the state toward the operation of the school. All pupils who will be six years of age on or before September 1 and all who have not passed their eighteenth birthday by September 1 are to be enumerated. Pupils between these ages should be enumerated regardless of whether or not they have completed this school or intend to attend next year.

"It is especially difficult to locate the six-year-old children, since no previous record has been made of them," McLaughlin stated this week. "The following six-year-old children have been secured on the rolls. If your child is not listed, please notify me or any teacher of the school. Likewise, patrons can aid the school greatly by notifying the school of any who may have been overlooked or of families who have moved into this district since the census was taken in that area."

The list of six-year-old children enumerated are: Bobby Berry, Thurman Boren, Gwendolyn Brown, Othell Butler, Wetzell D. Carrigan, Dolores Decker, James Earnest, Calvin Garrett, Don Hall, Joy Hames, Alice Holden, Vera Hulsey, Molly Jones, Wanda Joyner, Donna Kidd, Jerry La Baume, Jerry Lee, Robbie Long, Luther Lutz, Naomi Ray McDaniel, Nellwyn Moser, Frank Myers, Ronald Parker, Edwin Scott, Alvin Stewart, Jim Stinnett, Benita Smith, Charlotte Wallace, Shirdella West, Walter Williams and Virgil Wilson.

Brooder houses should be prepared well in advance of the arrival of baby chicks.

Local Baptists to Attend Sunday School Session

Tate May, Sunday School superintendent of the Hamlin First Baptist Church, indicated this week that several officials from the local church will attend the three-day Tri-State Sunday School Workers' convention at El Paso April 2, 3 and 4.

Outstanding Baptist leaders are slated to appear on the program, local leaders state.

Judge Eyssen Speaks At Pension Unit Meet

Attorney W. H. Eyssen Jr. of Hamlin was speaker at a recent meeting of the Jones County Pension Organization at Stamford. Sessions were held in the city court room.

Eyssen discussed various phases of the pension program. Next meeting of the group is scheduled for April in Stamford, when Joel V. Grimes is expected to be one of the speakers on the program.

Harley Sadler Visits in Hamlin Last Week-End

Harley Sadler, veteran showman and representative from Sweetwater, was in Hamlin Friday for a few hours on business and shaking hands with friends.

He had been visiting with his 81-year-old mother at Haskell, whom he reported in poor health.

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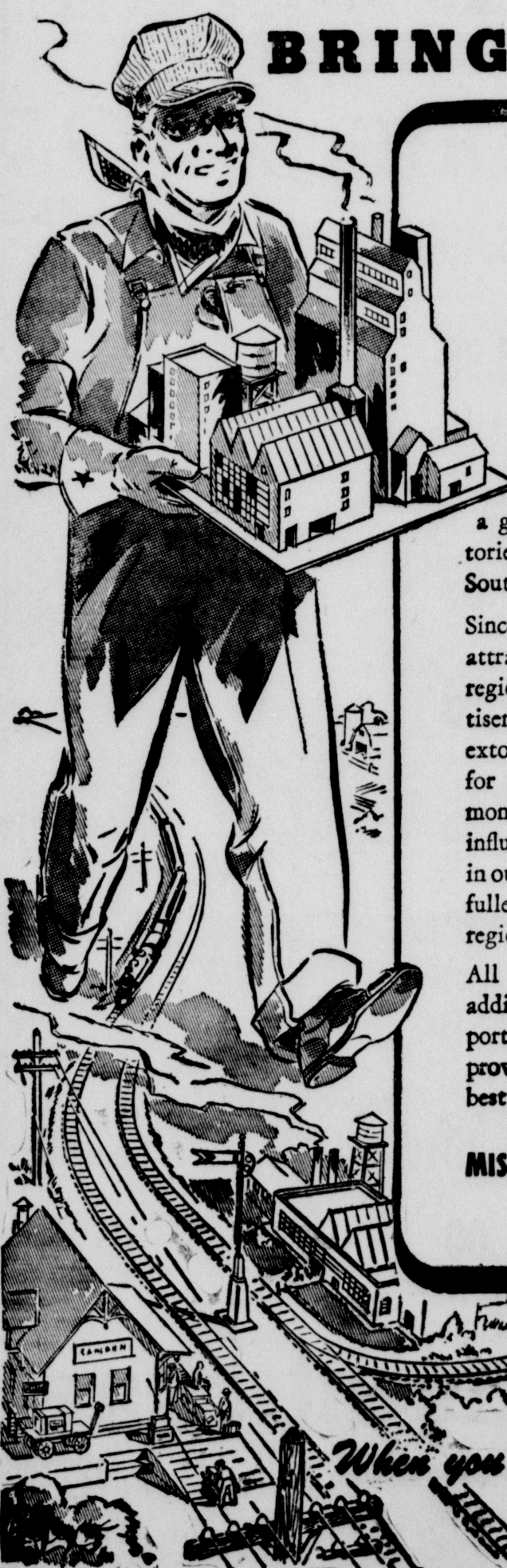
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Hamlin area farmers and ranchers interested in assuring the success of an annual rodeo for Hamlin have been joined by business men and firms of the town in underwriting the expense of staging the Hamlin Rodeo, slated for Friday and Saturday, April 12 and 13, show officials tell The Herald.

Subscriptions of \$50 each have been posted by 35 individuals and firms so far for a fund designed as working capital for this year's show. It is pointed out by rodeo officers that the money will not be used except in emergency. The rodeo, which will be a permanent community event, is expected to more than pay its way with income from the exhibitions.

Others interested in seeing that the rodeo is a financial success are invited to join the following individuals and firms: Tarlton Willingham, Dave Herbst, Jess Young, R. S. Johnson, Holly Toler, R. M. Myers, Joe Culbertson, Glenn Adair, J. W. Hines, Thomas Ferguson, F. & M. National Bank, S. C. Ferguson, John R. Brown, Barney Beavers, Ralph Riddle, Craig Elmore, Jack Hindman, Paul Bryan, Eddie Jay, Clinton Packwood, Thomas Teague, R. J. Robertson, Willard Jones, J. B. Terrell, Rockwell Brothers Lumber Company, Jack A. Harden, Joe Moser, City Drug Store, LaFoy Patterson, Starr Inzer, B. M. Brundage, Bagwell Laundry, J. D. Roland and D. & H. Department Store.

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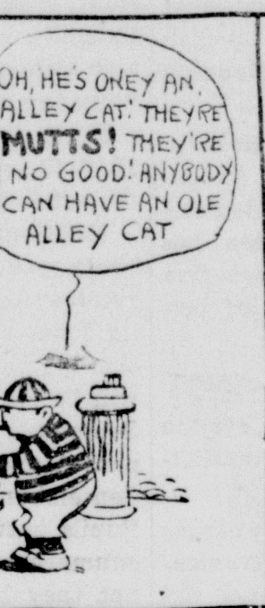
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Land Prices Advance to Record High Since War

Hamlin area people were interested this week in an announcement by the American Bankers Association agricultural commission that prices of farm land in 36 states have advanced more since the beginning of World War II in 1939 than for corresponding period of World War I. In 10 states, prices now are above those of the peak of 1920. The commission chairman warned that whether or not there will be another boom similar to that which followed the first world war depends upon "effectiveness of inflation controls and on how well people remember the bitter lessons of 25 years ago."

Burnshausen Purchases M. F. Green Grocery

Hubert Burnshausen this week became new owner of the former M. F. Green grocery, across the street from Farmers & Merchants National Bank. Mr. Burnshausen, nephew of Claude Lancaster, comes to Hamlin from Texon. The grocery and market will be known as Herbert's Food Store. Mrs. Burnshausen, wife and two sons, Archie Paul and David, have moved to Hamlin. Assisting the new owner in operation of the store are J. P. Morrison, in the market; and Mrs. Mary Nixon, Zelma Green Gentry and M. F. Green.

NEW FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH PASTOR IN SERVICES SUNDAY

First day in the pulpit of Hamlin First Baptist Church for Rev. John Osteen, new pastor was climaxed by addition of seven new members to the congregation and baptism of three new converts. The ex-chaplain spoke at both preaching hours to large crowds who heartily welcomed the new minister to Hamlin. Rev. Osteen comes to fill the pulpit of the First Church which has been pastorless since mid-October. Mrs. Osteen arrived in Hamlin Monday morning, and the couple is making their home at the local parsonage, just south of the church. A boyhood resident of Arkansas, Rev. Osteen was until recently assistant pastor of the First Baptist Church at San Diego, California.

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The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Jones County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on Saturday, July 27, 1946:

For Congress, 17th District:
WILLIAM W. BLANTON
ROBERT B. HERRING

For Clerk of District Court:
LEON THURMAN

For County Judge:
JOEL V. GRIMES
ROGER Q. GARRETT JR.
W. H. EYSEN, JR.

For Sheriff of Jones County:
BILL DUNWODY

For County Treasurer:
BILL ARMSTRONG

For County Clerk:
MRS. OMA SPRABERRY

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
WEAVER BAUCUM
ELZY BENNETT

For County School Superintendent:
B. T. BEAVER

For County Attorney:
GEORGE P. HUDSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
G. R. RIDDLE

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Fisher County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on July 27, 1946:

For Sheriff:
LEONARD G. BARNES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
W. H. (HOSS) BARTON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. C. WALDROP
D. I. (IKE) WEST

R. M. Petty Trying Out For NTSC Squad Spot

R. M. Petty of Hamlin, son of L. B. Petty, has been listed as one of the candidates on the largest grid roster in the history of North Texas State College at Denton as spring football training began for the first season since 1942.

Coach Herman Cowley, who replaced Jack Sisco as head coach this week, reported two lettermen gracing the Eagles' first spring workouts. However, athletic officials expect several lettermen additions to the squad before fall.

Petty is a freshman student majoring in physical education at NTSC.

OVER HUNDRED AT LIONS CLUB LADIES' NIGHT GATHERING

One of the social highlights in the history of Lionism in Hamlin brought cheer to 125 people Tuesday evening at the Morgan Hotel, when a ladies' night program was staged.

Following an elaborate banquet dinner served in the Morgan dining room, the Lions Club members, their ladies and other guests enjoyed a musical program presented by students from Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Ex-Chaplain W. E. King, pastor of the University Baptist Church, Abilene, was speaker of the evening. He delighted his hearers with remarks on the topic "I'm in Love with G. Is."

The Abilene ex-Army man, who saw battlefront service in the Mediterranean and European theaters of war, declared he loved the G. I. because of his "ingenuity, sense of humor, courage and faith." Beginning with the African campaign early in the war the "sky pilot" saw all these characteristics displayed by members of the armed forces under battle conditions, he said. King followed the forces from Africa through Italy and France into Germany.

Among out-of-town guests at the affair were Lions and ladies from Sylvester, Roby and Vernon. Colonel M. C. Robertson of Vernon, brother of Mayor Joe Culbertson of Hamlin, candidate for Lions district governor of District 2-E, was special guest.

Honored guests for the evening were new pastor of the First Baptist Church, Rev. John H. Osteen, and wife; and Mrs. Oscar Nelson and sister, natives of England, who have come to this country to make their home with the war-time soldier husbands.

Mrs. Osteen, a native of Arkansas, was presented a pair of shoes in a special ceremony by Lions Club Vice President Ambrose Spencer.

Mrs. Nelson, wife of a Hamlin area man, was presented a flower bouquet by G. R. Bennett.

Mrs. L. H. McBride was winner of two pairs of nylon hose for securing the autographs of 105 attendants at the banquet. All women who attended were given notebooks and competed for securing the autographs.

President Art Carmichael was master of ceremonies.

Whoever named Walla Walla, Washington, must have thought of it twice. We've often wondered, however, why it wasn't called Tuwalla.

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HERE DID THE BOLL-WORM HAVE ITS ORIGIN?



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Leonard G. Barnes in Running for Office of Fisher County Sheriff

Leonard G. Barnes is this week's announcer for the office of sheriff of Fisher County. He seeks election to the important office at the Democratic primaries in July.

Barnes, who has lived near Roby for 35 years, says he knows the people of Fisher County and their desire for law and order. He says he is well acquainted with the duties of the office, and believes he can make the people an efficient officer of the law in Fisher County.

For the past 20 years Barnes has been an employee and operator of guns in the Roby area.

Barnes asks The Herald to state that he expects to make a thorough campaign for the office, assuring all the people that they will be given the best of service if he is elected to the office of sheriff.

Hens have been known to lay rotten eggs.

We refused to buy the wife a fur coat because she wouldn't darn our docks. If she doesn't give a darn we don't give a wrap.

HAMLIN TEACHERS GO TO ANNUAL OIL BELT CONVENTION

Ten Hamlin school teachers were attendants at the week-end meeting of the Oil Belt District of the Texas State Teachers Association in the fifth annual convention held at Abilene. Eight hundred persons from 23 West Texas counties attended the confab.

Superintendent R. L. Williams of the Sweetwater Public Schools was elected president of the group. He succeeds Assistant Superintendent Joe B. McNeil of Wichita Falls.

Dr. Kenneth McFarland, superintendent of public school at Topeka, Kansas, was the principal speaker at the confab.

Hamlin school officials attending the Abilene convention were Superintendent I. R. Huchingson, High School, Principal H. P. McLaughlin, Grammar School Principal H. A. Johnston, T. C. Blankinship, Mrs. Arnold Griffin, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. Jimmy Simmons, Mrs. A. D. Barry, Georgia Moore and Harriett Evans.

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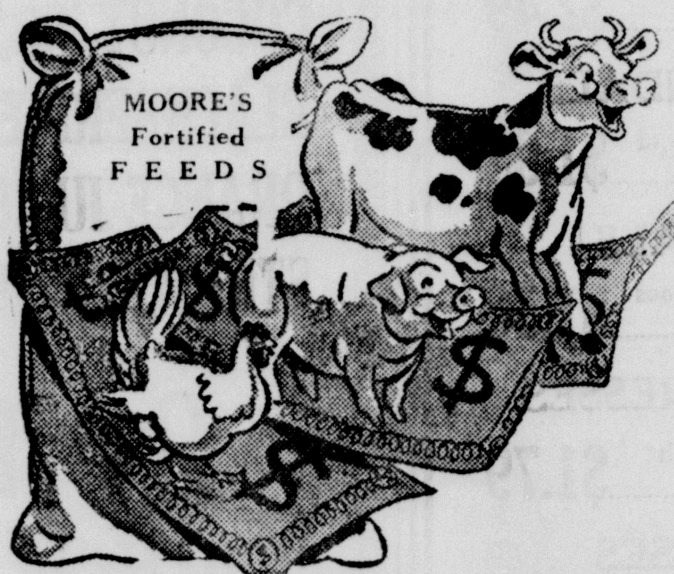
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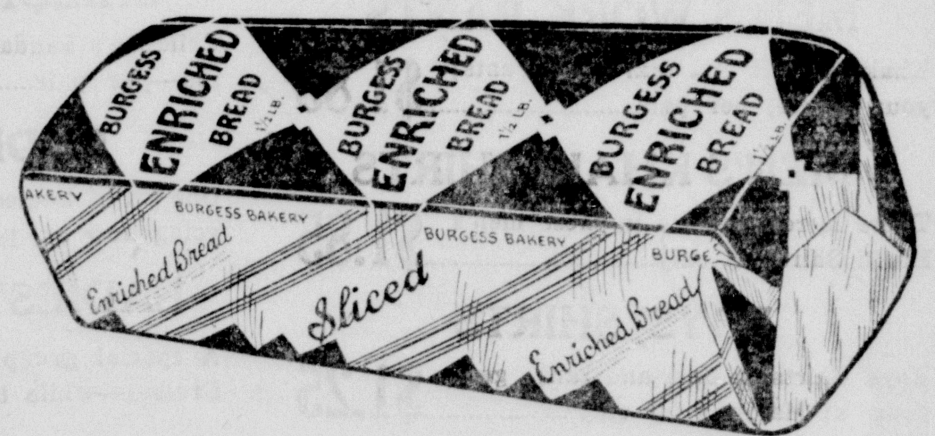
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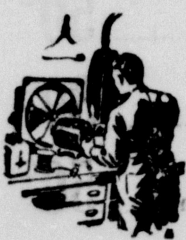
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MORE ACREAGE BEING BLOCKED NORTH OF TOWN BY NEELEY; OTHER PROJECTS LOOM

Twelve hundred additional acres of land is being added to the 19,500-acre block nine miles northeast of Hamlin, where new wildcat operations are slated by Iron Mountain Oil Company of Oklahoma City, it was announced this week. Harold G. Neeley, one of the owners, proposes to drill several wells in the area as soon as equipment and casing are available.

Neeley interests are also locating other projects on a 2,000-acre block in the Carlton community, south of Hamlin. Rig from one of the Carlton wells will be moved to the northeast extension.

Two blocks of acreage, totaling about 1,800 acres, south and east of Hamlin are expected to get new play soon. Leases formerly held by Alder Oil Company of New York recently have been purchased by another eastern concern prepared to drill several wells. The Herald is advised by local operators that drilling must be started within 60 days on the two tracts or the leases will be forfeited.

The eastern concern holds an 1,800-acre tract two and one-half miles southeast of Hamlin and another 1,800 acre block five miles east of town.

Also slated for early drilling is a tract assembled for W. C. Fast two miles south of Tuxedo, south of the Hamlin-Stamford highway.

Other Jones County activities interesting West Texas scouts and operators are:

A new Ellenberger test for Jones County, four miles northwest of Trent, and one and one-quarter miles southwest of the old Noodle field, was scheduled last week by Humble Oil & Refining Company as the No. 1-B O. L. Bishop.

The new well is on the southwest of the big Humble block in that area, and several miles southwest of Ellenberger tests drilled earlier in the year on the northeast side of the Noodle field.

Contracted for 6,500 feet, the location is 467 feet from the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of Section 22, Block 19, T. & P. Survey.

TOM TEAGUE NAMED NEW PRESIDENT OF HAMLIN ROTARIANS

Tom Teague, manager of Bryant-Link Company store in Hamlin, was elected president of the Hamlin Rotary Club at its meeting Wednesday noon of last week. Vote for Teague and others new officers, who will take office in mid-summer, was unanimous.

O. D. Roland, who will retire as president when the fiscal year ends in June, was named vice president, and C. S. Green was reelected secretary of the civic organization.

Emmett Yeats, I. R. Witt, Pat Marlow and Arthur Albritton were named new directors.

A picnic supper for Rotary Club members and their wives was slated for Thursday evening at the I. R. Witt cabin at Hamlin Lake. Buffet style supper, prepared under direction of Mr. and Mrs. Witt, will be served at the affair.

Several area Rotary Club members will be guests at the lake supper President O. D. Roland states. A brief program will be presented for entertainment of attendants.

Silver linings make life livable, but brake linings make life possible.

BITS OF NEWS ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mrs. W. C. Russell visited with a sister at Lubbock last week.

Jim Richardson of Sunday was the week-end with Mrs. Lala Harbert.

D. P. Connolly of The Herald force was a week-end visitor with friends at Austin.

Mrs. Ted Russell and son, Teddy, visited with her mother, Mrs. R. C. Stallings, at Detroit.

Mrs. W. A. Huling has returned to her home in Hamlin after spending two weeks with her daughters, Mrs. O. W. Rush and Mrs. H. M. Phillips at Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rodgers had as their guests for dinner Sunday week Mr. and Mrs. George Rodgers and children, Mrs. Dwaine Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jenkins and children and Bobby Westmoreland.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Jenkins and son, Jimmy, of Hobbs, New Mexico, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Jenkins and Mrs. Lala Harbert and other relatives in Hamlin community.

Hamlin students at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, home for the week-end visiting with their families were Bill Scott, accompanied by George Huggins, Jesse Locke, Bill Harbert and Jo Anne McCrary.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson spent Sunday at Fort Worth visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Wilson. Guy has been transferred to Charleston, West Virginia, as district material supervisor for the Oil Well Supply Company.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Criswell the past week at Celotex were Mrs. J. Ray Moore of Casper, Wyoming, Mrs. L. B. Norred and children, Jerry and Gail, of Corpus Christi, J. S. Criswell Jr. of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Criswell and daughters, Elvena and Frankie Fay, of Throckmorton, R. L. Criswell of San Angelo, Yoeman Third Class E. Dean Criswell and wife of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Criswell and children, Louie Leon and Bonnie Mae, of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Criswell of Hamlin.

Mrs. Tate May is in Coleman this week visiting with relatives and friends.

Keith Louise Jobe of Wilson visited with friends in Hamlin over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Travis have been visiting for a few days at Gainesville and Nocona.

Lydia O'Neal left Wednesday for Dallas, where she will spend a few weeks with her cousin, Camilla Bass.

Mrs. L. S. Magee returned first of the week from Washington, D. C., where she visited for three weeks with a son, Coy L. Magee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kelly and children, Ina Rhelle, Fay and Roy Jr., and brother, Jesse, Kelly, and nephews, Kenneth and Billy Kelly, spent the week-end at Cleburne visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. George Calvert, who is nursing in the Meadow Lawn Hospital.

Stanley Wilson and wife of Dallas are visiting his mother, Mrs. M. R. Wilson.

Mrs. S. A. Daniel and sons, Lee Roy and Truett, spent the week-end at Austin.

Jeannine Johnston, student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnston.

Mrs. P. D. Harkins spent the week-end at Wichita Falls visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald, and friends.

Joan Culbertson, student at Texas State College for Women, Denton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Culbertson.

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LADIES' SANDALS

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BROCCOLI—Cook 9 minutes, Per pound **28¢**

YELLOW CORN—Cook 8 minutes, Per pound **28¢**

GREEN BEANS—Cook 10 minutes, Per pound **27¢**

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TAMALES Best you ever tasted, Steam over boiling water **5¢**

BOYSENBERRIES Sugared, No seeds—Lb. **51¢**

PEACHES Sugar Covered, Per pound **39¢**

APRICOTS Halves, Sugared—Pound **45¢**

FRUIT SALAD All Kinds of Fruit, Per pound **38¢**

LOGANBERRIES Sugared, Per pound **46¢**

RHUBARB Make a Pie! Per pound **28¢**

PINEAPPLE Crushed, Sugared, Per pound **50¢**

COCONUT Shredded, Per pound **50¢**

BLACKBERRIES Per pound **50¢**

ORANGE JUICE Per pound **39¢**

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Mr. and Mrs. Tex Moore have been visiting for several days with relatives and friends at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. York are spending a few weeks' vacation at their cabin on the Brazos River near Lueders.

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PROSPECTS FOR GOOD WHEAT CROP THIS YEAR ARE BRIGHT—IF RAINS WILL COME

Prospects for a good wheat crop in Jones County are bright, crop observers tell The Herald. Fair moisture supplies through the winter, coupled with scattered showers during the past several weeks, have kept most wheat fields looking green.

Some infestation of area fields by greenbugs has put a damper on the predictions of some wheat men. Infestations have been spotted in the Hamlin area to date.

According to a story in Sunday's Abilene Reporter-News by Harry Holt, wheat crop prospects in West Texas generally are the best in several years, and if there are favorable growing conditions during the next 90 days there are fine prospects for a near record yield, come this June.

Holt's story continues:

Any prediction as to crops, of course, is qualified with a great big "if it rains."

And that's the situation right now. There is no alarm about the dry March, because that is to be expected, but it will be a different story if there isn't some moisture in early April.

Stimulated by continued warm weather and an adequate supply of subsoil moisture, wheat has made a rapid growth the past 10 days to two weeks. There is some worry that wheat may be growing too rapidly in

areas and would be subject to considerable damage in case of a late freeze.

Right now it looks like a 10,000,000-bushel wheat crop this summer in a 15-county area in the Rolling Plains sector. This is based on the estimated wheat acreage will in excess of 500,000 and a yield of 20 bushels per acre.

There was an increased yield last fall and the record October rains really started things off right. However, it was dry through November and December and there has been little winter rain in most spots. Abilene was fortunate, getting better than two inches of moisture in January.

There is probably a bigger increase in the acreage of oats this year than in the field of wheat. This is due to the fact that many farmers did not get around to sowing fall wheat, but made up for that by sowing winter and early spring oats.

Demand for grain is so terrific that there is little doubt that farmers will receive a good price for the crop. There have been some contracts for wheat at \$1.53 per bushel and for oats at 65 cents per bushel.

There is a small grain acreage increase in Archer, Baylor, Knox, Haskell, Jones, Stonewall, Kent, Dickens, Scurry, Nolan, Callahan, Fisher, Coleman, Rannels and Taylor Counties.

Two Beer Elections in Area Scheduled Soon

Two beer elections in the Hamlin area were in the offing this week.

An election for a vote on the legalization of beer has been set for April 6 by the Stonewall County Commissioners Court in action taken after a petition bearing signatures of 122 qualified voters was presented them.

An Abilene newspaper reported first of the week that a petition is being prepared in Abilene seeking to legalize the sale of beer through a local option election.

Three previous county-wide elections and one city vote had been held in Taylor County, all of which failed by wide margins.

SHIVERS IN RUNNING



Announcement was made this week by Allan Shivers from his home in Port Arthur that he would be a candidate for lieutenant governor of Texas. Shivers, a native of Lufkin, while a member of the state Senate, volunteered for service with the armed forces.

Veterans of Area May Vote Without Poll Tax

According to Burt Dean, assessor-collector of taxes for Jones County, Hamlin area veterans may vote in the Democratic primaries in July even though they have not paid their poll tax.

They, however, must have been discharged within the past 18 months. Only a copy of the discharge certificate at time of registering is necessary.

JAYCEES PLANNING MOSQUITO CONTROL DRIVE IN HAMLIN

Hamlin mosquitoes are in for a tough time during the ensuing season if plans of the newly organized Junior Chamber of Commerce are carried through.

Preliminary program of a city-wide mosquito control project were drafted at the Thursday night meeting of the Jaycees at the Hamlin High School, according to President Charles Prater. Technical advice from health authorities is being sought by the group, and the young business men will get to work on the project within several days.

Charter for the Hamlin civic club has been granted by national headquarters, local officials have been advised, and it will be presented at an area-wide ceremony at Abilene April 13. At the Abilene gathering charters for other Jaycee organizations sponsored by the host unit will be awarded. Several local members plan to attend the session.

It was announced at the Thursday night meeting that the Jaycees had been awarded the concession right at the forthcoming Hamlin Rodeo.

Six new members have been enrolled by the Hamlin club since last week. A get-together feed for the new organization is slated for late April, officials state.

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J. P. Morrison will continue to serve folks at the Market. Other employees are M. F. Grene, Mrs. Mary Nixon and Mrs. Zelma Green Gentry.

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Let's Face the Facts About Home Building

In the confusion created about the shortage of homes in America, one point stands out clearly:

YOU CAN'T BUILD HOMES WITHOUT MATERIALS!

Lumber and building material dealers and contractors obviously have a vital interest in obtaining materials for home building.

They report, nevertheless, that such materials are not flowing through the yards; that they have not been able to get them. Therefore, the Government's HH priorities offered to enable veterans and others to obtain homes, are simply home hunting licenses—for materials in quantity are not available.

As long as OPA continues its wartime control policy rather than a policy of adjustment to aid reconversion, it will neither be able to prevent an inflation or a deflation; it will only be able to prevent reconversion by discouraging production of needed home building items.

Here, for example, is an increase of OPA action that has resulted in increased production. After 6 months' delay, OPA granted a 4% to 10% price adjustment that allowed 125 of 400 closed brick and tile plants to reopen. This price adjustment allowed these plants and 400 others that had been operating, to hire needed labor. As a result, in the next quarter production rose 35%.

But in hardwood flooring, siding, plywood, millwork and construction lumber, OPA clings to its wartime formulas. Instead, OPA follows the unrealistic policy of allowing

premium prices to mills for producing lumber for such things as export to foreign countries, and for items that were needed in wartime industry.

Today's question is not essentially one of price control—if there were plenty of homes, no price controls would be necessary. The important question is one of production and manpower.

So far, OPA and Government officialdom in general have contented themselves with controls, allocations and priority systems which at best can do nothing but juggle an insufficient supply of building materials—and at worst, delay and retard production and the employment of manpower.

Homes will not be built in the United States unless the Building Industry builds them. Whether they are labeled "Public Housing" or "Private Homes," the same materials, the same labor, the same building industry will build them.

Production can be un-blocked by the removal or adjustment of OPA's wartime policies. But such a realistic approach cannot be attained as long as Government action is based on a philosophy of lack rather than a philosophy of abundant supply for peacetime prosperity.

The lumber dealers, builders and contractors stand ready to build or rebuild America. But it is up to the people to demand that the way be cleared for the production of materials for homes.

Any government program that does not FIRST remove the obstacles blocking production of materials will simply add additional difficulties to the problem facing the Building Industry!

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GOVERNMENT PAY FOR CONSERVATION AVAILABLE AGAIN

Farmers and ranchers in Jones County are offered assistance under the 1946 agricultural conservation program for carrying out conservation practices which meet approved specification between January 1, 1946, and December 31, 1946, states J. W. Griffith, county ACA secretary.

Several Hamlin area farmers and ranchers are taking advantage of the provisions of the measure.

This assistance consists either of payment to farmers as reimbursement for a part of the cost of performing conservation practices, or for conservation materials and services furnished to farmers to be used in performing approved practices.

Maximum amount of assistance for each conservation practice to be carried out on a farm or ranch is the amount for which written approval is granted by the county committee. Written approval by the committee will be given only where the request for the assistance is made by the farmer or rancher before he begins the conservation practice. Requests for assistance may be made by farmers or ranchers by contacting the county committee or by writing, telephoning or by calling at the county office at Anson, says Griffith.

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Easter Seals Received By Citizens of Region

Thirteenth annual Easter Seal sale was officially opened this week with Mamlin people received the seals. The seals are sent each Easter time as a reminder of the humane work being done throughout the year by the Texas Society for Crippled Children.

Proceeds derived from sale of the seals makes possible the society's work of locating handicapped children in need of medical care, procuring material aids, such as crutches and wheel chairs, rehabilitation and prevention of crippling diseases.

During the past year the society also sponsored and saw passage of state legislation providing special education for the thousands of Texas mentally alert youngsters too physically handicapped to attend regular school.

FORMER RESIDENT ELECTROCUTED AS SHE TOOK A BATH

Electrocuted the night of March 8 when her hand apparently accidentally brushed an electric heater as she sat in a bathtub was Mrs. Curtis Pfeifer, 27 years old, of Stockton, California.

Mrs. Pfeifer was the former Curtis Garner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Garner, who lived in Hamlin during her girlhood. The family left here some 12 years ago.

According to a story in the Stockton newspaper, aid was summoned by a neighbor, who heard a scream from the Pfeifer home and heard two-year-old Johnny Pfeifer running about inside the house.

The fire department rescue squad worked for some time to no avail. Dr. Theodore Hill responded but likewise could not aid the stricken woman. He pronounced her dead.

Prior to the mishap, Mrs. Pfeifer had told a neighbor that she and her son had planned to visit with friends later and she was going to take a bath.

Mrs. Pfeifer was a native of Texas.

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For downright comfort, I wouldn't swap my cottage for the finest mansion unless I could take my closet furnace with me. This, you know, is the vented gas appliance that provides luxurious automatic central heat. It was installed when house was built and is financed as part of total house cost. Therefore, central heat, considering its advantages, costs me little, if any, more than ordinary heat. No wonder Lone Star Gas Company recommends closet furnace for heating cottages. Of course, it is vented to a flue.



HAMLIN METHODIST YOUNG PEOPLE TO ATTEND AREA MEET

Fourteen Hamlin Methodist young people and adult leaders indicated Wednesday they would attend the youth rally at Stamford for Abilene and Stamford Districts of the Northwest Texas Conference Saturday evening.

The Stamford meeting is one of seven being conducted in the conference, announces Rev. W. E. Hamilton of Lubbock, executive secretary of Christian education for the conference.

Main speaker will be Rev. Hoover Rupert of Nashville, Tennessee, director of the general board's youth department, and former minister in the Kansas Conference.

The rallies are part of a nationwide cooperative effort called the National Mission to Methodist Youth which is sponsored by the youth department of the general board.

Anna Margaret McBride, president of the Hamlin Methodist Church Epworth League, will head the delegation to Stamford. Others will be Naomi and Barbara Young, Shirley Baggett, Lupe Cave, Suzanne Toler, Diane Carlton, Dora Joyce Culbertson, Nozed Hassen and J. K. Cooley; Mr. and Mrs. Brad Rowland, sponsors; Mrs. Joe Culbertson, Mrs. G. R. Bennett and Rev. E. L. Yeats.

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NEWS NOTES FROM SYLVESTER

MRS. J. M. MONTGOMERY, Correspondent

A revival meeting is in progress at the Baptist Church. Beginning last Friday, the meeting will continue through Sunday, with services twice daily. Rev. E. J. Cobb of Lockney is doing the preaching.

Among those attending the sixth annual meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference at Sweetwater last week were Mmes. F. J. McCain, G. S. Barnes, W. C. Mitchell, L. P. Lawliss and Byron Maberry.

Mrs. Tracy King was in Rotan last Wednesday.

Mrs. Claude Mitchell, Mrs. William Nazworth and Roy Mack were Roby visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Deere and daughter are visiting again in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spann were shopping in Sylvester Saturday morning.

Homer Lawlis, who is home from the Hendricks Memorial Hospital at Abilene, where he underwent surgery, is improving satisfactorily at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Babb were visiting Mrs. Babb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards, over the week-end.

Mrs. Mayme Swafford of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swafford Sr. of Lorraine were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Montgomery.

Visiting in the Pursley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pursley and daughters, Mrs. L. P. Pursley and Ruth Estelle of Roby and Jack Pursley and Fred Fountain of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Jack Stone and sons, Billy and Don, were Hamlin visitors Monday.

Mrs. Reynolds has had as guests her mother, Mrs. A. M. Moon, and sisters, Lola and Mabel Moon, of Breckenridge.

Mrs. A. B. Armstrong, wife of the Methodist pastor, is visiting their

daughter and her family in Odessa for several days.

Work on the wash house is progressing. We hope it is in operation soon.

Word was received Monday morning of the death at Menard of Buno Carroll. Buno had many friends here. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Carroll, early day residents of Fisher County. Funeral was at Menard Tuesday afternoon. Besides his wife and children he is survived by several brothers and sisters, all well known here.

Sylvester boys have the baseball grounds ready for games, and plans are underway for installing lights on the field so they can have night games soon.

Superintendent E. E. Swindall of Sylvester Schools is planning to enter several contestants in the athletic track meet at Hobbs Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hollis of Sweetwater spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mrs. Hollis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jeffrey of Golan were shopping in Sylvester Saturday.

H. C. Cabaness is getting his variety store stock. This will be a big addition to Sylvester.

Mack Pursley spent the week-end at Sweetwater with his father, Jack Pursley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hawkins and W. A. were in Rotan Saturday.

HOSPITAL SKETCH

(concluded from page one)

Bowen Pope, secretary-treasurer of the association this week.

By Wednesday noon of this week funds for the hospital amount to more than \$13,000, and it is exactly two months since the board was first organized.

Pope continued: "If the people who have expressed themselves as wanting a hospital will get in with their \$50 we should be able to let a contract for the building by June 15. Look for next week's hospital news. You cannot advance \$50 in any enterprise that will pay off as much for you as in a hospital of the kind we are trying now to build."

PRELIMINARY DRAFT OF NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCEPTED AS BIDS SLATED IN MAY

Architect's preliminary plans for the new elementary school building for Hamlin were approved by the school board at a meeting Tuesday evening, and he was instructed to rush the completed plans and specifications for an early advertisement of bids. It is estimated that a contract might be let about May 15.

Although the scarcity of materials and current prices have presented a difficult problem in the planning, the board has striven to plan a modern building adequate for Hamlin's needs within the money available, officials of the board declare. The approved plan will not care for all the districts now in attendance. The board had to choose between plans to include more classrooms and leave out some of the features that characterize modern school planning or leave out classrooms and include these features. The board felt that since the Hamlin taxpayers were providing the money that their first obligation was to the Hamlin district.

The building, however, has been designed to care for additions should the future demand without detracting from the appearance and usefulness of the building. The building as planned provides for 14 classrooms, a library room, combination gymnasium and assembly room, and an adequate cafeteria dining hall to care for the daily hot lunches for pupils as well as occasional community banquets.

To cope with the present OPA lumber ban on all except G. I. projects, it is estimated by the board that the old building will provide enough framing and decking lumber. The

floors are to be covered with asphalt tile throughout, the ceilings with celotex type board, and the window sashes are to be of steel. According to the architect, these items are available.

Exterior walls will utilize the old brick and will be finished in a light colored oriental stucco. With the high part of the roof topped with a light green shade, the building will present a beautiful appearance and will be attractive in its plain architectural design.

Area Stockmen Dispose Of Livestock at Auction

Four Hamlin stockmen and one McCaulley man were among consignors at last Thursday's livestock auction at Abilene, when a new top of 17 cents on fat yearlings was set for the season. Market was steady to higher on some classes of butcher cattle, all others steady and demand good on all classes.

Selling at the auction were: Barney Beavers of Hamlin, 12 mixed cattle; Willie Mabry of McCaulley, 21 fat cattle; Sellers & Son of Hamlin, 16 mixed cattle; and Jess Young of Hamlin, 16 mixed cattle.

Memphis Man to Open Hamlin Cleaning Plant

John R. Howell this week purchased the former Greenway Tailor Shop, one and one-half blocks east of F. & M. National Bank, and will be ready to open a revamped and modern cleaning establishment within 30 days, he states.

Coming to Hamlin from Memphis, Howell is an experienced tailor. He will install new equipment in the building.

Johnston Sells Cattle at Abilene.

H. A. Johnston of Hamlin consigned 10 mixed cattle to the livestock auction at Abilene last week when the market was steady to stronger. Mixed breeds were bringing \$12.50 to \$15 per hundred pounds at the auction.

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FOR SALE—Two-row John Deere planter with tool bar; located 2 1/2 miles southeast of Rotan.—C. Bonds Smith. 20-2p

FORS ALE—used and new 2x4 and 1x6 rough lumber and corrugated iron in various lengths.—W. L. oyd. 21-2c

FOR SALE—Sudan seed and milch cow.—E. M. Hicks, one and one-half miles north of McCaulley. 1p

FOR SALE—Large kitchen table, \$2.50.—Mrs. O. R. Criswell at Gyp Mill. 1p

FOR SALE—Used piano.—Mrs. M. T. Via. 1p

FOR SALE—Four-wheel trailer; priced right.—Havins Service Station, north of Herald. 1p

THE HERALD has many new office supply items: Scotch tape in 25-cent rolls, special pencils of all kinds, showcard colors, pencil clips. When you need office supplies, see The Herald first! tfp

Wanted

YOUR HAULING appreciated—Will do any kind of hauling. Just see or call R. L. Boiles or phone 474-W, Hamlin, Texas. 21-4p

WANTED—Local representative for Luzier's cosmetics and perfumes. Write or call Mrs. Max Lanford Box 1304, Abilene, Texas. Telephone 5519. 1c

WANTED—Woman to help with morning house work.—Mrs. R. M. Myers, phone 248-W. 1p

WANTED—Woman to handle nursery at the Methodist Church Sunday mornings from 11:00 to 12:00 o'clock. Apply Mrs. John D. Ferguson or Mrs. Joe Moser. 1c

WANTED—Water well drilling. See write or call Jess Whitaker, Anson Texas. 20-4c

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Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Three-room house.—Richard Young, west of town. 20-2p

FOR SALE—167 1/4 acres of Hood estate, eight miles northeast Hamlin; fair improvements; good well of water. See L. H. Hood at Stamford Flower Mill. 21-3p

FOR SALE—Five-room house and lot located in southeast part of town; newly papered and painted; \$2,250.—J. D. Elmore. 21-2p

FOR SALE—Five-room brick house and 12 lots in north part of Hamlin. Write Mrs. Edna Brooks, Box 1194 McCamey, Texas. 20-2p

FOR SALE—Black land farm; all in cultivation and planted in wheat and growing; four-room house, city water; joins City of Hamlin; electricity available; leased for oil, \$1 rental; \$100 per acre.—R. D. Moore, Hamlin. 20-tfc

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Miscellaneous

BIG SHIPMENT of all types of radio batteries just received at City Electric Service. 4-tfc

LOANS, LOANS, LOANS — Farm loans; 10 to 20 years; as low as 4 per cent interest; loans for buying, refinancing or for building a new home in town; interest reasonable; monthly payments.—H. O. Cassle, tfe

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CURBING, markers and grave covers.—J. B. Smith, Rotan, Texas. 20-4p

Miscellaneous

FARM AND RANCH LOANS at four Per Cent—Why pay more? Small semi-annual payments of \$27 per thousand. See B. L. Jones, secretary-treasurer, Jones County National Farm Loan Association, Anson, Texas. Federal Land Bank Loans. 19-4c

RANCHMEN! STOCKMEN! We have all sizes Ranchmaster U. S. D. A. No. 62 screw worm smear.—Waggoner Drug, Bryant-Link Company. tfe

HAMLIN CHAPTER No. 310 R. A. M. meets every fourth Thursday night.—W. T. Johnson, H. P.; C. C. Bailey, Secretary. 21-tfc

POVERTY WEEDS — Blue weeds, Johnson, Bermuda grass, possession tie vines, thistles, nettles, etc. exterminated; no chemicals. Send stamp for particulars.—J. M. Baxley, Astro Plant Gower, 711 13th Street, Modesto, California. 19-4p

Lost and Found

WILL PERSON who found shovel marked W return to City Electric Shop? Lost Monday. 1p

LOST—Near Santa Fe depot in Hamlin, black coin purse containing \$20 and diamond ring; liberal reward.—Mrs. D. C. Gibson, 2081 North Third Street, Abilene, Texas. 1c

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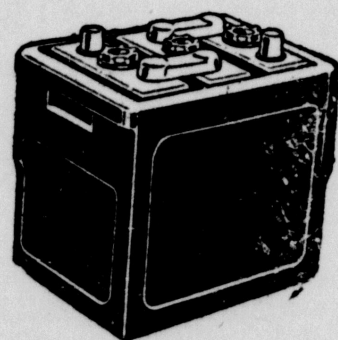
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POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULEY

BY GEO DARDEN

Due to the fact that this scribe is in the state of Illinois at this writing—and no home town news—we will let you in on sketches from a diary that were jotted down on the trip from McCauley through five states.

March 19—Luther Maberry and writer left Hamlin by train (doodle-bug) for Chicago and Elgin, Illinois. Arrived at Truscott at noon, where train stopped 20 minutes for lunch. Walked four blocks from the depot for a family style meal. Very good meal—only 50 cents.

Met cattleman on train from Fairview, Oklahoma. He had been to San Angelo to buy cattle. The cattle-man, very interesting fellow, explained to us the good things as well as the bad pertaining to Oklahoma towns we passed through.

Arrived at Altus, Oklahoma, at 2:15 p. m. Population about 30,000. Stopped at Clinton, Oklahoma, for a few minutes. Population about 14,000. Other stops at Lone Wolf and numerous other small Oklahoma towns.

We like this Oklahoma country with its rolling prairies and white-faced cattle.

Arrived at Wichita, Kansas, at 11:40 p. m. A big town. Left at 11:59 p. m.

A young couple on train doing a lot of love making—"very country!" Guess they think all passengers were asleep, but this "snooper" has one eye open. Their "turtle diving" was terrific at times. Luther is sound asleep and missing the show. Poor boy!

March 20—Conductor tells me we will arrive at Chicago at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday.

4:35 a. m.—Just waked up as we roll into Topeka, Kansas. Quite a town. Luther still sleeps. Very difficult to keep a country boy awake.

4:45 a. m.—An elderly couple snores in seats in front of me. Never could stand snoring—gives me the jitters. Still about three and one-

half hours out of Kansas City. A heck o' fa long ways from Chicago. Porter says population of Topeka over 100,000.

Five soldiers board train at Topeka. After they attempt to adjust train seats, one soldier remarks: "The cattle cars in Africa are better than this train."

Arrived in Kansas City at 6:30 a. m. We lay over here an hour and a half. Kansas City depot like a bee-hive—people of all races and creeds. Texas folks look better. At breakfast at Fred Harvey's in K. C. approximately 50 waitresses on job serving the folks. Most of girls working at Fred Harvey's are homely looking. Pulling out of K. C. finally—long road ahead.

Folks in these parts not so friendly as in Texas. The Jews are taking the country; in fact, they have just about got it. Since the Jews cast lots for Christ's clothing they have been dealing in dry goods since.

A lot of soldiers and sailors got on train in K. C. Some can't wait to get discharges; others will re-enlist, so goes their conversation.

Seven and one-half hours out of Chicago still. People on train very sleepy-eyed. A little powder and paint and shaves for us men wouldn't hurt our looks this morning.

10:30 a. m. Wednesday—Still in Missouri. Wonder how that fellow ever got through Missouri on a mule.

12:30 p. m.—We had lunch on the dining car. Plain cheese sandwich 30 cents, pie 20 cents, coffee 15 cents, chicken sandwich 60 cents—a little steep for country boys.

1:00 p. m.—Sailors and soldiers playing poker on train; game is hot. One sailor comes down aisle feeling fine. Said he won \$53 in 10 minutes. Happily on his way to Boston.

A bar and saloon on train; several very tipsy. One lady about 60 years old (very rich, we judge) is drunk—very disgusting. She's very fat, too. The manager of diner is a Jew. Very bright, he thinks.

1:45 p. m.—Luther very interested in detective magazine. We both need shaves badly. Train too rough to risk it.

One WAC on train, a first lieutenant, and a brunette. She ignores sailors, who try to talk to her.

Passing a large apple orchard—no blooms on trees. Don't see many cattle in this state for some reason. See a few draft horses. All farmers have large red barns and two-story homes. Very nice too, look prosperous.

Passing a huge artificial lake.

House boats and smaller boats on lake.

The porter says we are in Iowa. Train now stops at Shopton, Iowa, a small town. Ten minutes later train pulls into Fort Madison, Iowa, a big town. Still five and one-half hours from Chicago.

The "Streamliner," a fast Santa Fe passenger train, just passed. Its time from Chicago to Wichita, Kansas, is seven and one-half hours; distance, 700 miles.

People in these parts not the hand shaking, back slapping type. They need a few Ted Russells up here to wake 'em up. It might be difficult for Bowen Pope to promote a hospital in these parts. People don't know the war is over here.

Tall corn stalks, some corn still remains in fields in Iowa.

Our aim is to purchase some used cars in Chicago. Hope cars not too high for pocketbooks.

Levi McCollum should be along to write insurance. Conductor tells us that Chicago gangsters still "bump" folks off for two bits. Glad we don't have but 15 cents above train fare.

A soldier comes by and says, "Conductor, break up the poker game." Soldier was disgusted.

Trains going west not crowded. Plenty of seats. We hear that east-bound trains are crowded.

Conductor takes up our tickets for Chicago. I spose that means no more stops. Arrive in Galesburg, Illinois, at 2:50 p. m. Wednesday. Population approximately 20,000. Arrived in Peoria, Illinois, at 3:45 p. m. A good town with old looking buildings. Arrive in Streater, Illinois at 4:40 p. m. Population some 10,000; railroad town, brick plants, etc.

6:20 p. m.—In outskirts of Chicago. Arrive at 7:00 p. m. A hustle and a bustling city. Taxi drivers run

over each other trying to take us places. Hire a yellow cab to take us to electric depot to catch train for Elgin, Illinois. Board electric train for Elgin at 8:05 p. m. After train gets out of Chicago she opens up.

Conductor asks us: "How fast you think we're traveling?" I say: "Fifty miles per hour." He says: "Follow, me Texans." We go up to front of train to watch speedometer. She is doing 73 miles per hour. Never rode so fast before on an electric train. Conductor very nice. He is amazed over our Texas boots and big hats. Asks a lot of questions about Texas. We tell him tall tales—he seems to believe all of our big lies.

Arrive at Elgin, Illinois, at 9:30 p. m., 40 miles out of Chicago. Stopped every few minutes for passengers. Elgin is an old town, approximately 140 years old. Population 42,000. The home of Elgin watches.

We go to Milner Hotel, where the clerk say: "Full up." We walk another two blocks and arrive at the Fox Hotel; got a nice room for \$4 per day for the two of us. A fresh shave and hot baths after 36 hours on trains sure helps.

Thursday Morn.—Eat breakfast of bacon and eggs and coffee—good bacon, too. Start looking for used cars. Bought two cars fair and square, then the fellows back out. These people seem afraid to sell. They know nothing about trading. Seem to think if their cars leave the state they will never get another. Cleaner cars here than in Texas—no sand and bad roads.

Thursday night—Luther goes to picture show. I stay in hotel and copy notes from my diary for McCauley Pot-Shots.

Going back to Chicago tomorrow. Hope McCauley and Hamlin folks tip-top.

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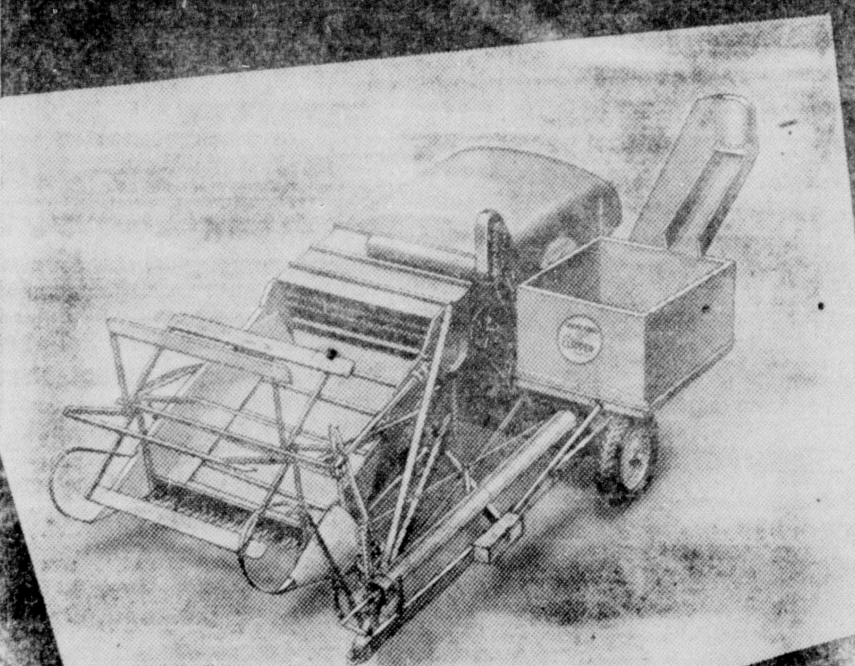
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Corn Highway Cream Style Golden No. 2 Can **12¢**

Spinach Deer Fancy No. 2 Can **12¢**

Peas Gardenside Standard Quality No. 2 Can **11¢**

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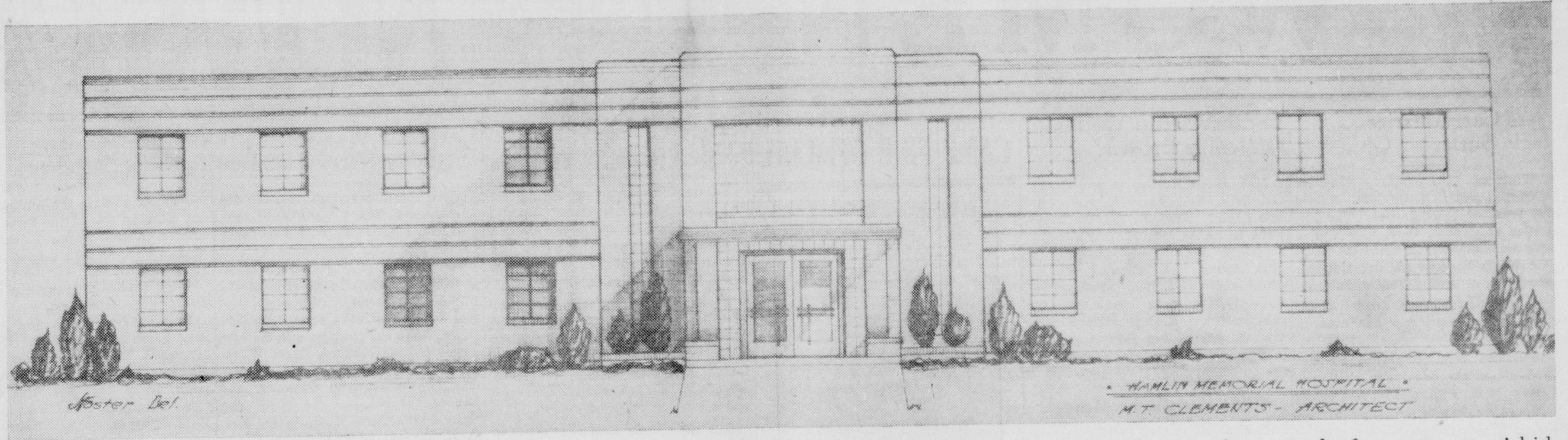
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SAFEWAY

Preview of Very Important Addition to Hamlin's Skyline



Here is the suggested first unit for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital building, which officials of the project hope to have ready for contractors' bids by June 15. The building would be 92 feet long, 32½ feet wide, except the center reception section, which will have a six-foot projection to the front, and a six-foot extension for the rear vestibule, making the center part 44½ feet wide. Preliminary floor plans show the two stories will have about 35 rooms, plus a seven-foot corridor extending the full length. Architect's estimate of cost is \$35,000. The structure contemplates most of the present-day conveniences and comforts and will be so constructed to permit additions as needs for the expansion are justified.

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Cotton Yield For County 42,908 Bales

DESPITE EARLY PREDICTION OF LOW HARVEST, WEATHER HELPS RAISE TOTAL

Pessimists of the West Texas area who predicted early in the season that the Jones County cotton crop for last season would be a dud were given a jolt this week when the official figures for the crop year were released.

According to tabulations made by Bowen Pope, special agent for Jones County, official bales ginned in the county for the year ending March 1, 1946, were 42,608 bales.

Early predictions last fall, when crop prospects were looking bad due to lack of moisture and other disparaging conditions, were that the county would gin only around 30,000 bales—probably as low as 25,000.

But one of the best harvest seasons in the history of cotton growing in this section permitted the highest percentage of the crop to be gathered in the memory of many old-timers. No damaging, blowing rains came to the area after the crop began to mature, and even high winds were almost what "used to happen" in the minds of cotton growers.

The 42,608-bale count by the Department of Agriculture census on cotton compared with 43,869 bales for the 1945 season—meaning a drop of only 1,261 bales from the previous year that looked brighter earlier than last year's season.

Johnnie Hines shipped some cattle to Fort Worth last week, and he and Mrs. Hines went down Thursday to the Fat Stock Show and rodeo and to visit relatives over the week-end.



ROTARY PRESIDENT



Tom Teague, genial manager of Bryant-Link Company, will be the new man in the chair for Hamlin Rotary Club when the fiscal year begins July 1. He was elected by the local civic organization last Wednesday at regular weekly meeting of the group. Installation services are to be held the latter part of June.

ABOUT 75 PERCENT OF AREA AUTOISTS GET CAR LICENSES

About 75 per cent of the Hamlin area car owners were sporting new auto licenses on their cars this week as deadline for purchase of the 1946 plates neared, according to Mrs. Arlene Morgan, issuing agent for this part of Jones County.

With probably 300 more licenses to go, 675 tags had been issued by the Hamlin licensers at the Morgan Insurance Agency. Usually in years past between 700 and 800 passenger car tags are issued by the Hamlin office, and from 200 to 300 truck and pick-up licenses issued.

Auto owners are reminded again that Saturday will be the final day for securing tags and putting them on old cars without penalty. Owners are urged to present last year's certificates of title and the 1945 license receipts when applying for new tags.

Mardell Lynch Goes to Oregon for Speakings

Mardell Lynch, minister of Hamlin Church of Christ, left Tuesday for Oregon, where he will be engaged in a three-week revival meeting with the McMinville Church of Christ.

W. R. Smith, vice president of Abilene Christian College, will occupy the pulpit of the local Church of Christ at both services Sunday, congregation leaders tell The Herald.

Cowgirls To Feature New Rodeo Event

AREA SPONSORS BEING SOUGHT FOR TWO-DAY SHOW—TWO NEW CONTESTS ADDED

A colorful parade of cowgirls will be a new feature of the Hamlin Rodeo when the two-day celebration is staged in Hamlin April 12 and 13, officials of the Hamlin Rodeo Association declared this week.

Entries in the community sponsor contest were being arranged by Mrs. E. M. Wilson, manager of the Chamber of Commerce. Letters of invitation to more than a score of area towns were put in the mails early this week, asking that community sponsors be appointed.

Since first official announcement last week that the boots and saddle exhibition would be staged early this year, rodeo officials state that many favorable comments have been heard from contestants and local citizens, who believe the April exhibition will get attendants from a wide area before farm and ranch work might interfere with their attending.

Arena Director Luther Marr states that he has already checked over the performance grounds at the city ball park and declares that with a few minor improvements the equipment is ready to stage a fast moving event this year.

Amateur contestants only will be permitted to enter the five roping and riding events, it is announced. Prizes totaling more than \$1,000 have been posted in these contests.

Decision late last week to add a cutting horse contest and a calf scramble will add more prize money to the \$1,000 previously announced. Some fine cattle horses are in prospect as entrants in the cutting horse events, in which prizes of \$85 will be given.

In the calf scramble cash prizes will be given to contestants who can not be over 16 years of age.

Bingo Party at Celotex Raises Red Cross Fund

More than half the community's Red Cross quota of \$175 was raised Friday evening at Celotex at a bingo party, announces Mrs. John O. Lewis, community chairman. She declares that the balance of the goal will have been raised by the time The Herald is printed.

Assisted by Meses. C. C. Maxwell, Ben Parker and Toby Waggoner, Mrs. Lewis states that a good crowd attended the Friday festivities at the Celotex club house, when \$93 was raised.

COMMITTEES FOR C. OF C. NAMED BY ROLAND FOR YEAR

President O. D. Roland of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce has announced the following committees for the civic group for the ensuing year:

Membership and Finance—Clyde R. Angel, chairman; Claud Lancaster and Haskell W. Carter.

Agriculture and Livestock—John D. Ferguson, chairman; L. H. McBride, T. H. Houghton, F. B. Moore, Curtis Martin and Tom Teague.

Highways—W. C. Russell, chairman; John O. Lewis, Paul Bryan and Holly Toler.

Publicity—Fred Smith, chairman; Willard Jones and Mrs. B. S. Ferguson.

Recreation and Sports—J. S. Inzer, chairman; E. C. Feagan, Bill Burnett, A. Hudson and Art Carmichael.

Civic, Sanitation and Health—I. R. Witt, chairman; Arlene Morgan, Dr. Claude H. Chastain, J. B. Terrell, Dr. Don Guold, Joe A. Simpson and Dr. W. C. Weir.

Trade Extension—Tate May, chairman; W. L. Boyd, C. R. Reynolds, R. H. McCurdy, Frank Waggoner, Ted Russell, B. M. Brundage and Jim Howard King.

Entertainment—Joe L. Culbertson, chairman; A. Spencer and Pat Marlow.

James T. May on Way Home from Europe Tilt

A cablegram was received first of the week by Mr. and Mrs. Tate May of Hamlin from their son, Technician Fourth Grade James T. May, stating that he was on his way home. The cable came from Nuremberg, Germany.

Young May has been in the service since May 10, 1943. After receiving basic training at Camp Maxey, near Paris, he was sent to Camp Shelby, Mississippi, where the 65th Division was activated, and he sailed with that outfit for overseas duty in January, 1945. Following the unit across Germany, May was in Austria on V-E Day.

A junior at Baylor University, Waco, when he entered the service, young May is expected home by Easter, his parents state.

No New Names Filed For City Ticket Places

No new candidates had been certified for places on the city election ballot Wednesday at noon, according to Mrs. Clinton Borrow.

Election to name a mayor and three aldermen will be held April 6 in Hamlin. Seven names had been certified for the ticket previous to last week's issue of The Herald.

Sketches of Hamlin Hospital Received

HORSE ENROLLS TOO

A Hamlin man and his horse are together again—both are students at Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

When George Dean of Hamlin recently went to Tech to enroll as a student he refused to become a student unless his horse could have board and room.

The agricultural department came to the rescue and now both are students.

LEWIS CONFIRMED AS MANAGER FOR CELOTEX CONCERN

Formal announcement has been made by the Celotex Corporation of the appointment of John O. Lewis as works manager of the Hamlin division of the concern. He has been acting manager since November.

Lewis is a native of Georgia and received his education at the Georgia School of Technology, where he was a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. He began his business career with the Certain-teed Products Corporation in their New York office. Later he was sent to their Texas plant, where he gained long experience in production and plant management. In 1941 he came to Hamlin as board plant superintendent for the Texas Cement Plaster Company, which was purchased by the Celotex Corporation last year.

Mr. Lewis is married and has two children, a daughter who is in college and a son 10 years old.

Thomas Carter Visits In Hamlin with Friends

Thomas A. Carter, former Hamlin resident, was here visiting old friends this week and looking back on nearly seven years of service with his Uncle Sam's Navy. He recently received his discharge while holding a machinist's mate first class rating. Seeing service on the USS Pennsylvania, Ogala and Aircraft Carrier Hornet, Carter also served with the P-T squadron during early raids on Jap strongholds in the Pacific.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carter Sr. of Roswell, New Mexico, the ex-Navy man was visiting in the R. V. Teague and Loren Griffin homes. He plans to enter the College of Mines at Golden, Colorado, soon.

COMPLETED PLANS EXPECTED TO BE READY FOR BIDDERS BY MIDDLE OF JUNE

Preliminary sketches of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital were received last week-end from the architect by officials of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association. The principal sketch is reproduced on page one of today's Herald.

First suggested unit for the hospital will be 92 feet long, 32½ feet wide, except the center reception section, which will have a six-foot projection to the front and a six-foot extension for the rear vestibule, making the center part 44½ feet wide.

Preliminary floor plans show the two stories will have about 35 rooms plus a seven-foot corridor extending the full length. All fireproof construction will be used in the building.

Estimate of cost of the structure has been placed by the architect at \$35,000. The building contemplates most of the present day conveniences and comforts, and will be so constructed to permit additions on each end of the frontal section as development of the hospital is made. Ultimate street frontage will be 202 feet, leaving room on a full city block for a T extension from the rear center as memberships in the hospital grow in number.

Materials will be brick, tile, concrete and iron with very little wood or combustible materials used anywhere.

Hospital association officials point out that a structure of this type will not permit over-rushing, for time is the smallest factor in creating an institution of this nature and importance.

Directors of the hospital have assurance of a full block of land to be deeded free to the association. Location is ideal from every point of view. It will likely be in the west part of Hamlin, on or near Highway 92. Announcement will be made as soon as definite papers have been signed.

Next week a complete list of all families signed up for the hospital will be published in a page advertisement in The Herald. Officials declare the number should run well over 300 by Tuesday night, April 2.

"If your name is not on the list of members already, please let your support be felt so your friends and neighbors may know you are interested in building a hospital for this area of country about Hamlin," said

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WOMEN

IN THE

NEWS



Tess Carr Marries Jack Butler of Ohio

Winifred (Tess) Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carr, became the bride of First Sergeant Jack E. Butler of Canton, Ohio, in a double ring ceremony at the home of Chaplain W. E. King at Abilene Monday, March 11, at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. Butler wore a Levine model powder blue suit, and her corsage was of gardenias.

She has been employed by the government the past year at Washington, D. C., as a civil service clerk.

Sergeant Butler has been in the armed forces the past year, serving in the European Theater of Operations the last 12 months.

On Saturday, March 23, Mrs. J. W. Roberts and Mrs. J. O. Lewis honor and Mrs. Butler with a miscellaneous bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Lewis.

About 40 guests were entertained, and the bride was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

A dainty refreshment plate was served at the conclusion of the affair.

Locals Attend Wedding Of Jennie Brown

Mrs. James T. Brown and daughter, Mrs. Edd Rodgers, Mrs. Carl Isbell and Mrs. B. E. Patterson went to Dallas over the week-end to attend the wedding of Jennie Brown. Miss Brown was married Sunday afternoon to Emmett Farmer of Dallas. They were married by the pastor of the Beverly Hills Baptist Church, one of her former pastors. Members of the families attended the ceremony.

Louise Riddle Honored At Bridal Shower

Honoring Louise Riddle, a bridal shower was given in the home of Mrs. L. E. Warnell Friday afternoon with Mrs. L. C. Houghton and Mrs. C. M. Polk as hostesses.

Mrs. Normie Crowley gave a reading, and Mrs. Gene Hopper read "How I Love The."

Refreshments were served to about 35 women. The honoree received 80 lovely gifts.

Miss Riddle will be married Sunday to Roy Kilpatrick of Abilene.

Party for Kenneth Neal Given Tuesday

Kenneth Neal, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Neal, celebrated his eighth birthday Tuesday afternoon with a party given by his mother.

Ice cream and cake were served to Lu Sara Dean, Billy Crow, Evelyn Kidwell, Melvin Hames, Tommy Martin, Ann White, Patricia Stewart, Gwendolyn Brown, Hazel Crow, Louise Bevels, Erma Faye Kelly and the honoree.

CAMP FIRE OFFICIAL



Edith Kempthorne, the Great Lady of Camp Fire, whose birthday was observed last week by the Camp Fire Girls, was celebrated by Hamlin area girls with lunches, parties, outdoor recreation and church attendance. Miss Kempthorne was a concert pianist and gave up her career to enrich lives of others through Camp Fire.

Hamlin Methodist Women Attend Meet

Mmes. C. J. Preston, C. P. Yeats and R. L. Moore of Hamlin were attendants last week from Wednesday until Friday at the sixth annual meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference convening at Sweetwater.

Two hundred and twenty-five had registered when the conference opened Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. J. H. Rutherford of Stamford was installed as president during the closing session Friday morning. Mrs. Clyde Barton had charge of the installation service. Others installed were Mrs. George Robertson of Childress, vice president; Mrs. Sam L. Seay of Amarillo, recording secretary; and Mrs. E. E. Trawick of Abilene, treasurer.

One of the conference highlights was the Thursday evening talk of Dorothy McConnell of New York City, editor of The World Outlook. Miss McConnell devoted this talk to her experience as one of the 42 women who sat in on the United Nations Conference at San Francisco as consultants. She reiterated her faith in the charter and her belief that "Russia will finally understand us, and we the Russians."

Mrs. Art Carmichael Hosts Literary Club

Mrs. Art Carmichael was hostess to the Woman's Literary Club last Friday afternoon.

Parliamentary procedure was given by Mrs. Carmichael, and program was under direction of Mrs. Walter Snead, director for the afternoon. Mrs. W. J. Poe discussed "Time Club Bureau Service." Mrs. Tate May brought a "News Review of the Month," and Mrs. Snead concluded the program by testing the mentality of the club with a "Time Bureau Monthly Quiz."

R. Y. Barrow left over the week-end for North and South Carolina and Tennessee furniture marts to purchase furniture stocks for the Barrow Furniture Company. He will be gone about two weeks.

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Koleta Clements in H-SU Honor Sorority

Koleta Clements, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clements of Hamlin was one of 12 students recently elected to membership in Alpha Chi scholarship sorority at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Each year the upper 10 per cent of the junior and senior classes are chosen to become members of Alpha Chi. With scholarship as the chief factor in eligibility, a student must also have a high character rating and a good attendance record.

Alpha Chi was first organized on the campus of Hardin-Simmons in 1925 under the name of the Scholarship Societies of Texas. Later the name was changed to the Scholarship Societies of the Southwest and finally to Alpha Chi. H-SU's chapter was named the Julius Olsen chapter of Alpha Chi in honor of the late dean of the university.

Frances Ubben, accompanied by Billie Sue White, both students at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Ubben at Hamlin over the week-end.

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Carl Max Weaver Birthday Party Honoree

Carl Max Weaver, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Irby Weaver, was entertained March 24 with a birthday party given in his home by his mother.

After games were played by the group, refreshments of eskimo pies and angel food cake were served to these little playmates: Don Poe, Thersa Ann Hubbard, Oram Weaver Jr., David Noel Weaver, Brentz Ann Crow, Wortham Crow Jr. and Lagena Weaver and the host; and these adults, Mrs. M. S. Jones, Mrs. O. H. Weaver, Mrs. Wortham Crow, Mrs. J. L. Weaver, and the hostess, Mrs. Irby Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Griffin of Ackerly and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hudson and son, Cling Jr., of Coleman were week-end guests of Mrs. A. G. Hudson and family.

Baptist Women Surprise Teacher

Monday at noon the Alathean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church surprised their teacher, Mrs. R. A. Crockett, with a luncheon party at her home.

Each attendant brought a covered dish for the noon meal.

Present for the happy occasion were Letha Maberry, Jewel Mayfield, Myrtabell McLaughlin, Mrs. C. C. Maxwell, Lois Patterson, Bertie Patterson, Ruby Poe, Mrs. Ben Parker, Gene Robinson, Irene Dutton, P. D. Harkins, O. G. Harvey, Henry Holloway, E. B. Watson, Marie Vaughn, John Walton and Mrs. M. Y., class mother, and the teacher, Kitty Crockett.

Colonel M. C. Culbertson of Vernon, was a guest first of the week of his brother, Mayor Joe Culbertson, and family.

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HAMLIN HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES NOSED OUT BY ANSON IN INTER-CITY TRACK MEET

Hamlin High School athletes showed improvement from their first competitive meeting with Stamford two weeks ago when they were nosed out Monday at the county seat by Anson High School in a try-out of track and field boys. The points favored Anson 68 to 62.

Four first places and seven second places were won by the locals.

Rogers of Anson was high point man for the event. Brad Rowland was high for Hamlin with 12 points, and Doyle Dean pushed him with 11½ points to take third.

Bennie Houghton won first in the broad jump with a leap of 18 feet 1½ inches. J. D. Rogers was third and Doyle Dean was fourth in the same event.

Brad Rowland heaved the shotput for 34 feet 5 inches to take first. Ray Myers was second and Yuel Ulmer was third in the shotput.

In the mile run Johnny Steel took first honors with a time of four minutes 46 seconds. Roland Goodgame was second and Joe Wayne Carter placed fourth.

Doyle Dean came in second on the 440-yard dash.

Doyle Dean and Brad Rowland tied for second in the pole vault with nine feet six inches. Arthur Tom Carlton placed fourth with a vault of nine feet three inches.

In the high jump Arthur Tom Carlton placed second and Rowland was third. Caffey of Anson took first with a jump of five feet four inches.

In the 880-yard dash Bobby Jack Riley of Hamlin was second and Billy Franks was third. Charles Newland placed fourth.

Ulmer took third in the discus throw, which event was won by Rogers of Anson.

Doyle Dean tied with an Anson boy for second in the 220-yard dash.

J. D. Rogers was second in the 100-yard dash with time of 10.8 seconds. Brad Rowland was fourth.

In the 200-yard low hurdles Joe Weir took third and Joe Wayne Carter placed fourth.

The Hamlin relay teams that took first and second placings at Stamford the week before could only get second at Anson. The foursome composed of Riley, Houghton, Rowland and Dean, carried Hamlin's baton.

Law Firm at Turner Building.

When the new law firm of Turner & Martin was formed last week the offices were arranged at the rear of the City Drug Store building, adjoining the Turner Insurance Agency. W. F. Martin Jr. of the firm had maintained offices for several weeks over the bank.

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Major John Reynolds Visiting at McCaulley

Major John H. Reynolds of McCaulley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reynolds of Hamlin, is home on terminal leave from the Army after nearly four years of service, including 18 months' duty in 10 different countries in the European theater. He and his family, including his seven-year-old daughter, Linda Lee, plan to live at Clovis, New Mexico.

A 1929 graduate of Hamlin High School and foreman of the International Harvester Company at Abilene, Reynolds received his basic training in ordnance at Aberdeen, Maryland, and his first field assignment at Camp Polk. Overseas, he served as commander of the 542nd Heavy Maintenance Ordnance Company with the Seventh Army.

Reynard C. Brown in U. S.

Among West Texans docking last week-end at New York from the European theater was Technician Fourth Grade Reynard C. Brown of Hamlin. Brown was expected home this week after several months of service in the ETO.

14 AREA SCHOOLS FILE FOR PLACES IN DISTRICT 5-A MEET

Fourteen area schools had been certified for this week for participation in the District 5A Interscholastic League track and field meet, scheduled at the McMurry College stadium in Abilene April 6.

This was the advice from Superintendent E. M. Connell of Anson, general director for the meet. Coach Gene Sosebee of Anson is director of track and field events for the district.

Competing schools will be Anson, Albany, Colorado City, Hamlin, Haskell, Loriane, Merkel, Roscoe, Rotan, Rule, Snyder, Stamford, Reagan Junior of Sweetwater, and Throckmorton.

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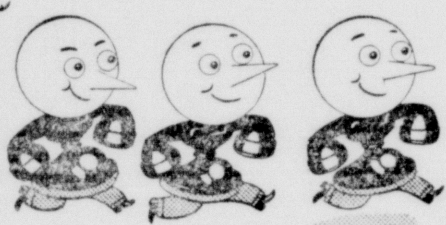


Here's important news for young men 18 and over (17 with parents' consent). Under the GI Bill of Rights, if you enlist in the U. S. Army before October 6, 1946, for 3 years, upon your discharge you will be entitled to 48 months of college, trade or business school education. Tuition up to \$500 per ordinary school year will be paid. And you will receive \$65 monthly living allowance—\$90 if you are married. Get the facts at your nearest U. S. Army Recruiting Station.

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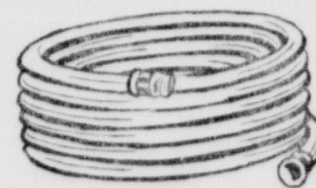
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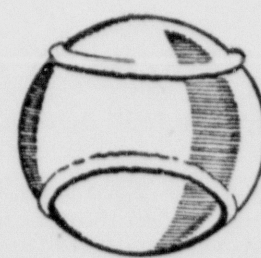


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NOW IS GOOD TIME TO PAY-AS-GO

Reports from down Austin-way this week are very encouraging as far as the financial situation of our state is concerned. Good cash balances are reported in practically all funds of the State of Texas.

Our Lone Star State has long had a reputation in the nation of conducting its business affairs on a pay-as-you-go basis. The general fund has been "in the red" most of the time for the past several decades, which has cost our state much added expense in interest paid on warrants issued against the general fund when there was a huge deficit in the tills.

Reports submitted by C. H. Cavness, state auditor, for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1945, showed cash in the state treasury in all funds as totaling \$75,752,694.38. Of this amount the general fund tallied a balance of \$13,412,274.63.

Cash talks. The rule applies to states, counties, cities as well as individuals. Now is the ideal time for our state to go on a pay-as-you-go basis. And shrewd business men at Austin will see to it that such a plan is followed. Politicians who place their own personal attainments and political aspirations above business frugality will have little interest in such a cash policy for the state.

LUMBERMEN TRY TO SELL LEGITIMATELY

Nearly all of our merchants are suffering nowadays from the malady of "little merchandise." The country's reconversion program is much slower than all of us thought, caused to a great extent by bottlenecks in supply, strikes, desire for price increases to offset increased production costs by the manufacturer. But our lumber dealers have a problem that is more acute than other lines.

Because most of the dealers handle chiefly lumber, when this one commodity is unobtainable, not only is their business almost stalemated, but all those who want to build business houses, homes, outbuildings and other construction suffer with the lumbermen.

The lumbermen face this peculiar circumstance: There are plenty of trees in the forests; there are plenty of sawmills to produce millions of feet of much-wanted lumber; there are thousands of laborers who are ready to work in the industry—but, because the OPA will not permit increases in the price of lumber sufficient to offset much increased labor costs and other basic expenditures in the industry, the mills are producing lumber for other channels that are more profitable than through the regular retail lumber channels.

Hamlin lumbermen can do little about the lumber shortage. They are rightly entitled to the lumber business that is now being conducted under a black market basis. They will supply the needs of the community when the lumber is available through legitimate channels.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS OBSERVE BIRTHDAY

A group of our prominent citizens observed a birthday last week. It was not their own natal birthdays but the birth of a great movement that is helping to mold the lives of those who participate in the activities that are fostered by the organization. March 17, 1912, was the birth date of the Camp Fire Girls, and the organization took occasion to pause to reflect on some outstanding accomplishments during the thirty-four years of its existence.

People who have attained maturity are the ones looked to for leadership. Our business firms, our economic plans, our government and our social system are formulated and operated by grown-ups. They are charged with the success or failure. Most people probably believe that there could be considerably more successes than there are, that there is a cure for many of the ills which beset us.

A great many of our ills are caused because we do not have the same views about problems. Our views are different because we are not taught the same things, or because the teaching is not correct. The shortcomings are widely recognized, and even those with opposing views on various problems endorse the training received by the Camp Fire Girls. They are taught how to be good citizens, and none of us should underestimate the value of things they are taught.

Camp Fire Girls learn how to cooperate with others, how to be tolerant of the opinions of others, how to use their skills and develop their talents. Those who master the fundamental principles of the organization make good citizens because they have in later life precisely the qualities that mature people need to become leaders and valuable members of society.

Grown people might well adapt to their own mode of life some of the lessons that are taught to Camp Fire Girls.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

LET THE LITTLE BRATS STARVE

The above caption seems to express the sentiment of a considerable portion of the population of the United States.

A Gallup poll recently taken reveals that "An overwhelming majority of Americans are favorably disposed toward a program to cut down food consumption here in order to send more food to Europe," but the figures set out in the report indicate that a selfish and unfeeling minority consisting of many millions of people are intent on stuffing their own stomachs regardless of the cries of starving children across the seas.

The question propounded in the Gallup poll was this: "Would you eat less meat and use less flour in order to send more food to the people of Europe?"

We are gratified that 67 per cent of the answers were "yes"—but we were horrified to note that 22 per cent of them were "no." Eleven per cent declined or neglected to express an opinion.

Twenty-two per cent of the population of the United States would be about 30,000,000 people. Is it possible that there are 30,000,000 people in the United States who would not be willing to take a crumb from their tables to send to the hungry, ragged, emaciated orphans of Europe to help save them from starvation? That is what their answers indicate.

And yet we boast of being the most enlightened and humane people on the face of the earth. Yes, we call ourselves a Christian nation. The above figures would indicate, however, that there are about 30,000,000 heathens in the United States, among whom we should begin doing missionary work at once.

No Christian will ever ask the question: "Am I my brother's keeper?" No Christian will ever say: "Let the little brats starve."—Lynn County News Tahoka.

Camp Fire Girls Visit Herald Plant and See Making of Newspaper

As part of their celebration of the thirty-fourth birthday of Camp Fire Girls, the group sponsored in Hamlin by the American Legion Auxiliary visited The Hamlin Herald plant Wednesday afternoon. The visit was made to acquaint the girls with some form of manufacturing process in the community.

Led by Meses. Joe McCrary, Roy Flowers and M. T. Hudson, guardians, the girls saw The Herald in the making; observed the linotype in operation; saw how illustrations for advertisements were made; and were shown the plant's Meihle automatic press in operation.

Visiting the newspaper plant were Kathryn Ritchey, Susanne Hudson, Janie Beth Dutton, Barbara Kay Flowers, Meta June Carter, Nona White, Mary Lu Roland, Laverne Higdon, Grovena Sipe, Sue McCrary, Janet Durham, Peggy Jo McCleary, Glenna Brewer and Dana Kay Dane.

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That's why it's important for you to take a good look at the way the government spends your dollars.

Government should begin now to live within its means

During the war government necessarily spent huge sums of money. Yet, with the war over, the government plans to spend four times as much in the coming year as it spent in the highest pre-war year.

Most thoughtful people believe that government expenditures are now far greater than they need be.

They believe that government, like a family, should live within its means... that it should not spend more than it takes in... that it should not keep on going deeper into debt.

Yet that is exactly what's happening today. Our government is spending billions more than it takes in. And it continues to borrow to make up the difference.

This is the kind of money-handling that causes inflation.

Economy in government means money in your pocket

If the American people — through Congress — will reduce government spending and take steps to encourage production, inflation will be stopped... and this is the only way it can be stopped.

Write your representatives in Congress today.

Urge them to cut the cost of government, eliminating all waste... all unnecessary services... and postponing all expenditures that can be put off until our war bills have been paid.

Urge them to make the government start living within its means... at a level that you and your neighbors can afford to pay.

You'll see the results soon in the cost of everything that you buy... food, clothing and everything else. And you'll be doing your country a real service.

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CATTLEMEN URGED MARKET STOCK TO RELIEVE PASTURES

Overstocked ranges and short feed supplies are endangering the Texas livestock industry, Hamlin section ranchers are advised by B. F. Vance, state director of the Production Mar-

Abilene Woman to Give Book Review Sunday

Review of the book, "Investment in Christian Religion" will be a feature of the observance of Library Day Sunday at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Chester O'Brien of Abilene will give the review at 3:00 p. m. at the church, to which the public is invited, church officials state.

The Hamlin church library will be open all during the day, when the reading of good books will be emphasized in other services at the church.

PARENTS URGED TO SEE THAT CHILDREN ARE ENUMERATED

Hamlin area parents are urged this week by school officials to see that all scholastics have been enumerated by Saturday deadline for the official count upon which state apportionment for the next school session will be based.

H. P. McLaughlin, who is directing the "nose counting" in Hamlin Independent School District, particularly is anxious for all parents who have children who will become six years of age before September to see that their children are included in the enumeration.

If any child has been missed by the enumerator, the parent of such child should contact Principal McLaughlin or the school office in the high school building not later than Saturday night.

Present indications are that the 1946-47 scholastic census will exceed that of last year.

McLaughlin points out that for every scholastic the school district receives approximately \$30 per capita from the state toward the operation of the school. All pupils who will be six years of age on or before September 1 and all who have not passed their eighteenth birthday by September 1 are to be enumerated. Pupils between these ages should be enumerated regardless of whether or not they have completed this school or intend to attend next year.

"It is especially difficult to locate the six-year-old children, since no previous record has been made of them," McLaughlin stated this week. "The following six-year-old children have been secured on the rolls. If your child is not listed, please notify me or any teacher of the school. Likewise, patrons can aid the school greatly by notifying the school of any who may have been overlooked or of families who have moved into this district since the census was taken in that area."

The list of six-year-old children enumerated are: Bobby Berry, Thurman Boren, Gwendolyn Brown, Othell Butler, Wetzel D. Carrigan, Dolores Decker, James Earnest, Calvin Garrett, Don Hall, Joy Hames, Alice Holden, Vera Hulsey, Molly Jones, Wanda Joyner, Donna Kidd, Jerry La Baume, Jerry Lee, Robbie Long, Luther Lutz, Naomi Ray McDaniel, Nellwyn Moser, Frank Myers, Ronald Parker, Edwin Scott, Alvin Stewart, Jim Stinnett, Benita Smith, Charlotte Wallace, Shirdella West, Walter Williams and Virgil Wilson.

Brooder houses should be prepared well in advance of the arrival of baby chicks.

Local Baptists to Attend Sunday School Session

Tate May, Sunday School superintendent of the Hamlin First Baptist Church, indicated this week that several officials from the local church will attend the three-day Tri-State Sunday School Workers' convention at El Paso April 2, 3 and 4.

Outstanding Baptist leaders are slated to appear on the program, local leaders state.

Judge Eyssen Speaks At Pension Unit Meet

Attorney W. H. Eyssen Jr. of Hamlin was speaker at a recent meeting of the Jones County Pension Organization at Stamford. Sessions were held in the city court room. Eyssen discussed various phases of the pension program.

Next meeting of the group is scheduled for April in Stamford, when Joel V. Grimes is expected to be one of the speakers on the program.

Harley Sadler Visits in Hamlin Last Week-End

Harley Sadler, veteran showman and representative from Sweetwater, was in Hamlin Friday for a few hours on business and shaking hands with friends.

He had been visiting with his 81-year-old mother at Haskell, whom he reported in poor health.

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Tuesday-Wednesday—

JOHN LODER in

**"BRIGHTON
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Also Selected Shorts.

Hamlin Folks to Attend Stamford CC Banquet

Several Hamlin citizens indicated Wednesday they would attend the annual banquet of the Stamford Board of City Development next Friday evening at the Round-Up Hall of the Texas Cowboy Reunion Grounds.

Principal speaker will be Roberto de la Rosa of Mexico City, an exchange student from the Mexican government. Mr. de la Rosa has been in this country the past five years stressing the necessity of better inter-American relations.

ketting Administration field service branch, in urging that cattle marketings be speeded up.

"A slight change in the weather for the worse might result in tremendous losses of livestock," Vance declared. "It is highly important that the number of cattle both on the range and on feed be cut considerably in order to keep cattle and feed supply in balance."

In addition, the PMA official said, delayed marketings now might result in congestion and jamming of marketing facilities later on. In order to avoid such congestion, producers should contact their marketing agents before shipping cattle to make sure the market can handle them.

Demand for meat is high, Vance said, and it is important that livestock move to market in an orderly manner but fast enough to keep packing plants operating at capacity.

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UNDERWRITING OF RODEO ASSURES IT OF COST SUCCESS

Hamlin area farmers and ranchers interested in assuring the success of an annual rodeo for Hamlin have been joined by business men and firms of the town in underwriting the expense of staging the Hamlin Rodeo, slated for Friday and Saturday, April 12 and 13, show officials tell The Herald.

Subscriptions of \$50 each have been posted by 35 individuals and firms so far for a fund designed as working capital for this year's show. It is pointed out by rodeo officers that the money will not be used except in emergency. The rodeo, which will be a permanent community event, is expected to more than pay its way with income from the exhibitions.

Others interested in seeing that the rodeo is a financial success are invited to join the following individuals and firms: Tarlton Willingham, Dave Herbst, Jess Young, R. S. Johnson, Holly Toler, R. M. Myers, Joe Culbertson, Glenn Adair, J. W. Hines, Thomas Ferguson, F. & M. National Bank, S. C. Ferguson, John R. Brown, Barney Beavers, Ralph Riddle, Craig Elmore, Jack Hindman, Paul Bryan, Eddie Jay, Clinton Packwood, Thomas Teague, R. J. Robertson, Willard Jones, J. B. Terrell, Rockwell Brothers Lumber Company, Jack A. Harden, Joe Moser, City Drug Store, LaFoy Patterson, Starr Inzer, B. M. Brundage, Bagwell Laundry, J. D. Roland and D. & H. Department Store.

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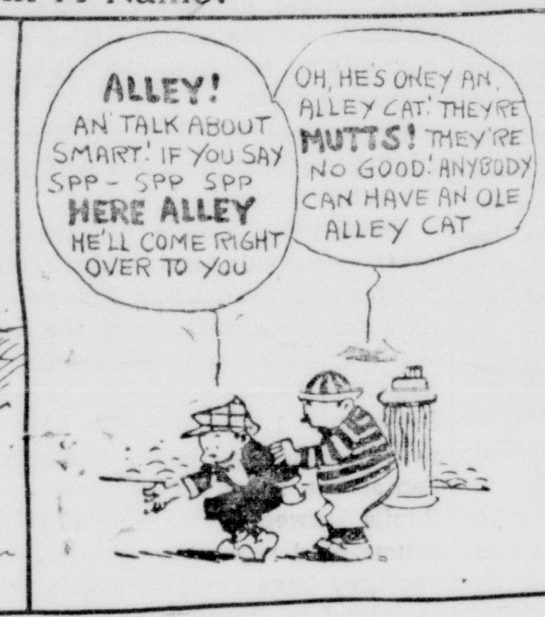
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Well, What's In A Name?

By Gene Byrnes

Land Prices Advance to Record High Since War

Hamlin area people were interested this week in an announcement by the American Bankers Association agricultural commission that prices of farm land in 36 states have advanced more since the beginning of World War II in 1939 than for corresponding period of World War I. In 10 states, prices now are above those of the peak of 1920. The commission chairman warned that whether or not there will be another boom similar to that which followed the first world war depends upon "effectiveness of inflation controls and on how well people remember the bitter lessons of 25 years ago."

Burnsbausen Purchases M. F. Green Grocery

Hubert Burnsbausen this week became new owner of the former M. F. Green grocery, across the street from Farmers & Merchants National Bank. Mr. Burnsbausen, nephew of Claude Lancaster, comes to Hamlin from Texon. The grocery and market will be known as Herbert's Food Store. Mrs. Burnsbausen, wife and two sons, Archie Paul and David, have moved to Hamlin. Assisting the new owner in operation of the store are J. P. Morrison, in the market; and Mrs. Mary Nixon, Zelma Green Gentry and M. F. Green.

NEW FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH PASTOR IN SERVICES SUNDAY

First day in the pulpit of Hamlin First Baptist Church for Rev. John Osteen, new pastor was climaxed by addition of seven new members to the congregation and baptism of three new converts. The ex-chaplain spoke at both preaching hours to large crowds who heartily welcomed the new minister to Hamlin. Rev. Osteen comes to fill the pulpit of the First Church which has been pastorless since mid-October. Mrs. Osteen arrived in Hamlin Monday morning, and the couple is making their home at the local parsonage, just south of the church. A boyhood resident of Arkansas, Rev. Osteen was until recently assistant pastor of the First Baptist Church at San Diego, California.

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| Precinct Offices..... | \$10.00 |
| City Offices..... | \$10.00 |

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Jones County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on Saturday, July 27, 1946:

For Congress, 17th District:
WILLIAM W. BLANTON
ROBERT B. HERRING

For Clerk of District Court:
LEON THURMAN

For County Judge:
JOEL V. GRIMES
ROGER Q. GARRETT JR.
W. H. EYSEN, JR.

For Sheriff of Jones County:
BILL DUNWODY

For County Treasurer:
BILL ARMSTRONG

For County Clerk:
MRS. OMA SPRABERRY

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
WEAVER BAUCUM
ELZY BENNETT

For County School Superintendent:
B. T. BEAVER

For County Attorney:
GEORGE P. HUDSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
G. R. RIDDLE

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Fisher County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on July 27, 1946:

For Sheriff
LEONARD G. BARNES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
W. H. (HOSS) BARTON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. C. WALDROP
D. I. (IKE) WEST

OVER HUNDRED AT LIONS CLUB LADIES' NIGHT GATHERING

One of the social highlights in the history of Lionism in Hamlin brought cheer to 125 people Tuesday evening at the Morgan Hotel, when a ladies' night program was staged.

Following an elaborate banquet dinner served in the Morgan dining room, the Lions Club members, their ladies and other guests enjoyed a musical program presented by students from Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Ex-Chaplain W. E. King, pastor of the University Baptist Church, Abilene, was speaker of the evening. He delighted his hearers with remarks on the topic "I'm in Love with G. Is."

The Abilene ex-Army man, who saw battlefront service in the Mediterranean and European theaters of war, declared he loved the G. I. because of his "ingenuity, sense of humor, courage and faith." Beginning with the African campaign early in the war the "sky pilot" saw all these characteristics displayed by members of the armed forces under battle conditions, he said. King followed the forces from Africa through Italy and France into Germany.

Among out-of-town guests at the affair were Lions and ladies from Sylvester, Roby and Vernon. Colonel M. C. Robertson of Vernon, brother of Mayor Joe Culbertson of Hamlin, candidate for Lions district governor of District 2-E, was special guest.

Honored guests for the evening were new pastor of the First Baptist Church, Rev. John H. Osteen, and wife; and Mrs. Oscar Nelson and sister, natives of England, who have come to this country to make their home with the war-time soldier husbands.

Mrs. Osteen, a native of Arkansas, was presented a pair of shoes in a special ceremony by Lions Club Vice President Ambrose Spencer.

Mrs. Nelson, wife of a Hamlin area man, was presented a flower bouquet by G. R. Bennett.

Mrs. L. H. McBride was winner of two pairs of nylon hose for securing the autographs of 105 attendants at the banquet. All women who attended were given notebooks and competed for securing the autographs.

President Art Carmichael was master of ceremonies.

Whoever named Walla Walla, Washington, must have thought of it twice. We've often wondered, however, why it wasn't called Tuwalla.

R. M. Petty Trying Out For NTSC Squad Spot


R. M. Petty of Hamlin, son of L. B. Petty, has been listed as one of the candidates on the largest grid roster in the history of North Texas State College at Denton as spring football training began for the first season since 1942.

Coach Herman Cowley, who replaced Jack Sisco as head coach this week, reported two lettermen gracing the Eagles' first spring workouts. However, athletic officials expect several lettermen additions to the squad before fall.

Petty is a freshman student majoring in physical education at NTSC.

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Leonard G. Barnes in Running for Office of Fisher County Sheriff

Leonard G. Barnes is this week's announcer for the office of sheriff of Fisher County. He seeks election to the important office at the Democratic primaries in July.

Barnes, who has lived near Roby for 35 years, says he knows the people of Fisher County and their desire for law and order. He says he is well acquainted with the duties of the office, and believes he can make the people an efficient officer of the law in Fisher County.

For the past 20 years Barnes has been an employee and operator of gas in the Roby area.

Barnes asks The Herald to state that he expects to make a thorough campaign for the office, assuring all the people that they will be given the best of service if he is elected to the office of sheriff.

Hens have been known to lay rotten eggs.

We refused to buy the wife a fur coat because she wouldn't darn our docks. If she doesn't give a darn we don't give a wrap.

HAMLIN TEACHERS GO TO ANNUAL OIL BELT CONVENTION

Ten Hamlin school teachers were attendants at the week-end meeting of the Oil Belt District of the Texas State Teachers Association in the fifth annual convention held at Abilene. Eight hundred persons from 23 West Texas counties attended the confab.

Superintendent R. L. Williams of the Sweetwater Public Schools was elected president of the group. He succeeds Assistant Superintendent oe B. McNeil of Wichita Falls.


Dr. Kenneth McFarland, superintendent of public school at Topeka, Kansas, was the principal speaker at the confab.

Hamlin school officials attending the Abilene convention were Superintendent I. R. Huchingson, High School Principal H. P. McLaughlin, Grammar School Principal H. A. Johnston, T. C. Blankinship, Mrs. Arnold Griffin, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. Jimmy Simmons, Mrs. A. D. Barry, Georgia Moore and Harriett Evans.

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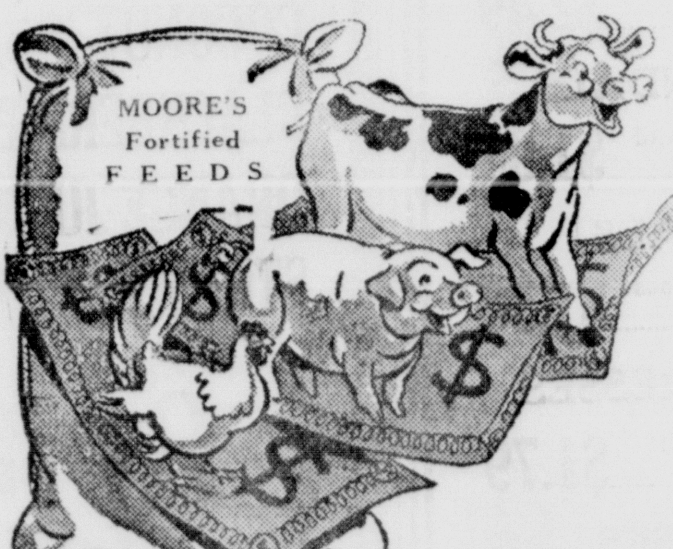
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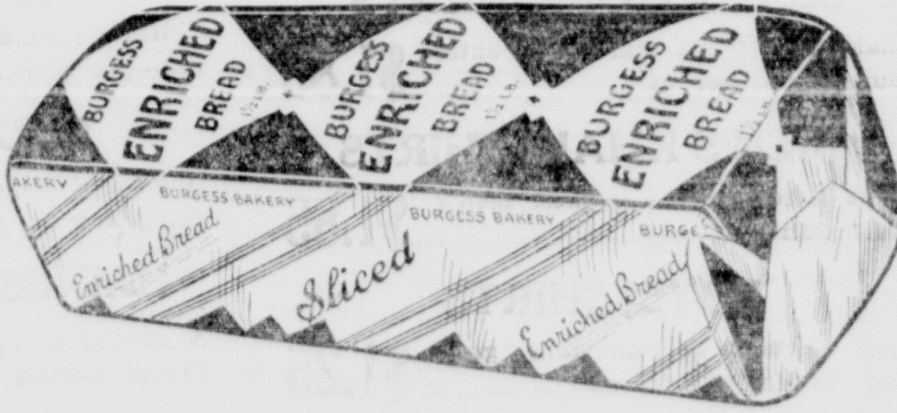
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MORE ACREAGE BEING BLOCKED NORTH OF TOWN BY NEELEY; OTHER PROJECTS LOOM

Twelve hundred additional acres of land is being added to the 19,500-acre block nine miles northeast of Hamlin, where new wildcat operations are slated by Iron Mountain Oil Company of Oklahoma City, it was announced this week. Harold G. Neeley, one of the owners, proposes to drill several wells in the area as soon as equipment and casing are available.

Neeley interests are also locating other projects on a 2,000-acre block in the Carlton community, south of Hamlin. Rig from one of the Carlton wells will be moved to the northeast extension.

Two blocks of acreage, totaling about 1,800 acres, south and east of Hamlin are expected to get new play soon. Leases formerly held by Alder Oil Company of New York recently have been purchased by another eastern concern prepared to drill several wells. The Herald is advised by local operators that drilling must be started within 60 days on the two tracts or the leases will be forfeited.

The eastern concern holds an 1,800-acre tract two and one-half miles south of Tuxedo, south of the Hamlin-Stamford highway.

Also slated for early drilling is a tract assembled for W. C. Fast two miles south of Tuxedo, south of the Hamlin-Stamford highway.

Other Jones County activities interesting West Texas scouts and operators are:

A new Ellenberger test for Jones County, four miles northwest of Trent, and one and one-quarter miles southwest of the old Noodle field, was scheduled last week by Humble Oil & Refining Company as the No. 1-B O. L. Bishop.

The new well is on the southwest of the big Humble block in that area, and several miles southwest of Ellenberger tests drilled earlier in the year on the northeast side of the Noodle field.

Contracted for 6,500 feet, the location is 467 feet from the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of Section 22, Block 19, T. & P. Survey.

TOM TEAGUE NAMED NEW PRESIDENT OF HAMLIN ROTARIANS

Tom Teague, manager of Bryant-Link Company store in Hamlin, was elected president of the Hamlin Rotary Club at its meeting Wednesday noon of last week. Vote for Teague and others new officers, who will take office in mid-summer, was unanimous.

O. D. Roland, who will retire as president when the fiscal year ends in June, was named vice president, and C. S. Green was reelected secretary of the civic organization.

Emmett Yeats, I. R. Witt, Pat Marlow and Arthur Albritton were named new directors.

A picnic supper for Rotary Club members and their wives was slated for Thursday evening at the I. R. Witt cabin at Hamlin Lake. Buffet style supper, prepared under direction of Mr. and Mrs. Witt, will be served at the affair.

Several area Rotary Club members will be guests at the lake supper President O. D. Roland states. A brief program will be presented for entertainment of attendants.

Silver linings make life livable, but brake linings make life possible.

BITS OF NEWS ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mrs. W. C. Russell visited with a sister at Lubbock last week.

Jim Richardson of Sunday was the week-end with Mrs. Lala Harbert.

D. P. Connally of The Herald force was a week-end visitor with friends at Austin.

Mrs. Ted Russell and son, Teddy, visited with her mother, Mrs. R. C. Stallings, at Detroit.

Mrs. W. A. Huling has returned to her home in Hamlin after spending two weeks with her daughters, Mrs. O. W. Rush and Mrs. H. M. Phillips at Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rodgers had as their guests for dinner Sunday week Mr. and Mrs. George Rodgers and children, Mrs. Dwayne Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jenkins and children and Bobby Westmoreland.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Jenkins and son, Jimmy, of Hobbs, New Mexico, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Jenkins and Mrs. Lala Harbert and other relatives in Hamlin community.

Hamlin students at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, home for the week-end visiting with their families were Bill Scott, accompanied by George Huggins, Jesse Locke, Bill Harbert and Jo Anne McCrary.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson spent Sunday at Fort Worth visiting their children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Wilson. Guy has been transferred to Charleston, West Virginia, as district material supervisor for the Oil Well Supply Company.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Criswell the past week at Celotex were Mrs. J. Ray Moore of Casper, Wyoming, Mrs. L. B. Norred and children, Jerry and Gail, of Corpus Christi, J. S. Criswell Jr. of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Criswell and daughters, Elvena and Frankie Fay, of Throckmorton, R. L. Criswell of San Angelo, Yoeman Third Class E. Dean Criswell and wife of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Criswell and children, Louie Leon and Bonnie Mae, of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Criswell of Hamlin.

Mrs. Tate May is in Coleman this week visiting with relatives and friends.

Keith Louise Jobe of Wilson visited with friends in Hamlin over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Travis have been visiting for a few days at Gainesville and Nocona.

Lydia O'Neal left Wednesday for Dallas, where she will spend a few weeks with her cousin, Camilla Bass.

Mrs. L. S. Magee returned first of the week from Washington, D. C., where she visited for three weeks with a son, Coy L. Magee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kelly and children, Ina Rhelle, Fay and Roy Jr., and brother, Jesse, Kelly, and nephews, Kenneth and Billy Kelly, spent the week-end at Cleburne visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. George Calvert, who is nursing in the Meadow Lawn Hospital.

Stanley Wilson and wife of Dallas are visiting his mother, Mrs. M. R. Wilson.

Mrs. S. A. Daniel and sons, Lee Roy and Truett, spent the week-end at Austin.

Jeannine Johnston, student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnston.

Mrs. P. D. Harkins spent the week-end at Wichita Falls visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald, and friends.

Joan Culbertson, student at Texas State College for Women, Denton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Culbertson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tex Moore have been visiting for several days with relatives and friends at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. York are spending a few weeks' vacation at their cabin on the Brazos River near Lueders.

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Boys' Dress Pants in sizes 6 to 16; priced now from \$1.00 to.....\$4.95

BOYS' GABARDINE PANTS

Boys' Gaberdine Pants that look for dress—per pair.....\$2.49

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Children's Sandals in white, tan and red—per pair.....\$1.98

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One lot of Ladies' Sandals and Shoes going now at, per pair.....\$1.50

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Men's White Sox with elastic tops; fair run of sizes—per pair.....10¢

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LOGANBERRIES Sugared, Per pound.....46¢

RHUBARB Make a Pie! Per pound.....28¢

PINEAPPLE Crushed, Sugared, Per pound.....50¢

COCONUT Shredded, Per pound.....50¢

BLACKBERRIES Per pound.....50¢

ORANGE JUICE Per pound.....39¢

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HEMO Drink Your Vitamins 59¢
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LETTUCE Large Heads, Each.....10¢

CARROTS Nice and Crisp, Per bunch.....5¢

POTATOES No. 1 Idaho, 10-Lb. Mesh Bag.....53¢

Delight Brand CORN Regular 16c No. 2 Can.....13¢

Cut Green BEANS H. & W., No. 2 Can.....11¢

CIGARETTES All Brands, Per Carton.....\$1.57

MODESS Regular Box for.....19¢

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PROSPECTS FOR GOOD WHEAT CROP THIS YEAR ARE BRIGHT—IF RAINS WILL COME

Prospects for a good wheat crop in Jones County are bright, crop observers tell The Herald. Fair moisture supplies through the winter, coupled with scattered showers during the past several weeks, have kept most wheat fields looking green.

Some infestation of area fields by greenbugs has put a damper on the predictions of some wheat men. Infestations have been spotted in the Hamlin area to date.

According to a story in Sunday's Abilene Reporter-News by Harry Holt, wheat crop prospects in West Texas generally are the best in several years, and if there are favorable growing conditions during the next 90 days there are fine prospects for a near record yield, come this June.

Holt's story continues: Any prediction as to crops, of course, is qualified with a great big "if it rains."

And that's the situation right now. There is no alarm about the dry March, because that is to be expected, but it will be a different story if there isn't some moisture in early April.

Stimulated by continued warm weather and an adequate supply of subsoil moisture, wheat has made a rapid growth the past 10 days to two weeks. There is some worry that wheat may be growing too rapidly in

areas and would be subject to considerable damage in case of a late freeze.

Right now it looks like a 10,000-000-bushel wheat crop this summer in a 15-county area in the Rolling Plains sector. This is based on the estimated wheat acreage will in excess of 500,000 and a yield of 20 bushels per acre.

There was an increased yield last fall and the record October rains really started things off right. However, it was dry through November and December and there has been little winter rain in most spots. Abilene was fortunate, getting better than two inches of moisture in January.

There is probably a bigger increase in the acreage of oats this year than in the field of wheat. This is due to the fact that many farmers did not get around to sowing fall wheat, but made up for that by sowing winter and early spring oats.

Demand for grain is so terrific that there is little doubt that farmers will receive a good price for the crop. There have been some contracts for wheat at \$1.53 per bushel and for oats at 65 cents per bushel.

There is a small grain acreage increase in Archer, Baylor, Knox, Haskell, Jones, Stonewall, Kent, Dickens, Scurry, Nolan, Callahan, Fisher, Coleman, Runnels and Taylor Counties.

Two Beer Elections in Area Scheduled Soon

Two beer elections in the Hamlin area were in the offing this week.

An election for a vote on the legalization of beer has been set for April 6 by the Stonewall County Commissioners Court in action taken after a petition bearing signatures of 122 qualified voters was presented them.

An Abilene newspaper reported first of the week that a petition is being prepared in Abilene seeking to legalize the sale of beer through a local option election.

Three previous county-wide elections and one city vote had been held in Taylor County, all of which failed by wide margins.

SHIVERS IN RUNNING



Announcement was made this week by Allan Shivers from his home in Port Arthur that he would be a candidate for lieutenant governor of Texas. Shivers, a native of Lufkin, while a member of the state Senate, volunteered for service with the armed forces.

Veterans of Area May Vote Without Poll Tax

According to Burt Dean, assessor-collector of taxes for Jones County, Hamlin area veterans may vote in the Democratic primaries in July even though they have not paid their poll tax.

They, however, must have been discharged within the past 18 months. Only a copy of the discharge certificate at time of registering is necessary.

JAYCEES PLANNING MOSQUITO CONTROL DRIVE IN HAMLIN

Hamlin mosquitoes are in for a tough time during the ensuing season if plans of the newly organized Junior Chamber of Commerce are carried through.

Preliminary program of a city-wide mosquito control project were drafted at the Thursday night meeting of the Jaycees at the Hamlin High School, according to President Charles Prater. Technical advice from health authorities is being sought by the group, and the young business men will get to work on the project within several days.

Charter for the Hamlin civic club has been granted by national headquarters, local officials have been advised, and it will be presented at an area-wide ceremony at Abilene April 13. At the Abilene gathering charters for other Jaycee organizations sponsored by the host unit will be awarded. Several local members plan to attend the session.

It was announced at the Thursday night meeting that the Jaycees had been awarded the concession right at the forthcoming Hamlin Rodeo.

Six new members have been enrolled by the Hamlin club since last week. A get-together feed for the new organization is slated for late April, officials state.

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The former Green Grocery, across the street from the F. & M. Bank, invites Hamlin area folks to

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Herbert Burnshausen, formerly of Texon, has purchased the interest of M. F. Green, who has operated the popular Grocery and Market. With a complete stock of Fine Foods, he invites old patrons as well as new friends to make the place their Food Buying Headquarters.

J. P. Morrison will continue to serve folks at the Market. Other employees are M. F. Grene, Mrs. Mary Nixon and Mrs. Zelma Green Gentry.

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Let's Face the Facts About Home Building

In the confusion created about the shortage of homes in America, one point stands out clearly:

YOU CAN'T BUILD HOMES WITHOUT MATERIALS!

Lumber and building material dealers and contractors obviously have a vital interest in obtaining materials for home building.

They report, nevertheless, that such materials are not flowing through the yards; that they have not been able to get them. Therefore, the Government's HH priorities offered to enable veterans and others to obtain homes, are simply home hunting licenses—for materials in quantity are not available.

As long as OPA continues its wartime control policy rather than a policy of adjustment to aid reconversion, it will neither be able to prevent an inflation or a deflation; it will only be able to prevent reconversion by discouraging production of needed home building items.

Here, for example, is an increase of OPA action that has resulted in increased production. After 6 months' delay, OPA granted a 4% to 10% price adjustment that allowed 125 of 400 closed brick and tile plants to reopen. This price adjustment allowed these plants and 400 others that had been operating, to hire needed labor. As a result, in the next quarter production rose 35%.

But in hardwood flooring, siding, plywood, millwork and construction lumber, OPA clings to its wartime formulas. Instead, OPA follows the unrealistic policy of allowing

premium prices to mills for producing lumber for such things as export to foreign countries, and for items that were needed in wartime industry.

Today's question is not essentially one of price control—if there were plenty of homes, no price controls would be necessary. The important question is one of production and manpower.

So far, OPA and Government officialdom in general have contented themselves with controls, allocations and priority systems which at best can do nothing but juggle an insufficient supply of building materials—and at worst, delay and retard production and the employment of manpower.

Homes will not be built in the United States unless the Building Industry builds them. Whether they are labeled "Public Housing" or "Private Homes," the same materials, the same labor, the same building industry will build them.

Production can be un-blocked by the removal or adjustment of OPA's wartime policies. But such a realistic approach cannot be attained as long as Government action is based on a philosophy of lack rather than a philosophy of abundant supply for peacetime prosperity.

The lumber dealers, builders and contractors stand ready to build or rebuild America. But it is up to the people to demand that the way be cleared for the production of materials for homes.

Any government program that does not **FIRST** remove the obstacles blocking production of materials will simply add additional difficulties to the problem facing the Building Industry!

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GOVERNMENT PAY FOR CONSERVATION AVAILABLE AGAIN

Farmers and ranchers in Jones County are offered assistance under the 1946 agricultural conservation program for carrying out conservation practices which meet approved specification between January 1, 1946, and December 31, 1946, states J. W. Griffith, county ACA secretary.

Several Hamlin area farmers and ranchers are taking advantage of the provisions of the measure.

This assistance consists either of payment to farmers as reimbursement for a part of the cost of performing conservation practices, or for conservation materials and services furnished to farmers to be used in performing approved practices.

Maximum amount of assistance for each conservation practice to be carried out on a farm or ranch is the amount for which written approval is granted by the county committee. Written approval by the committee will be given only where the request for the assistance is made by the farmer or rancher before he begins the conservation practice. Requests for assistance may be made by farmers or ranchers by contacting the county committee or by writing, telephoning or by calling at the county office at Anson, says Griffith.

SMATTER OF FACTS...



We told the wife before marrying her that we couldn't do enough for her. And now after 18 years of trying we've decided that we can't.

Easter Seals Received By Citizens of Region

Thirteenth annual Easter Seal sale was officially opened this week with Hamlin people received the seals. The seals are sent each Easter time as a reminder of the humane work being done throughout the year by the Texas Society for Crippled Children.

Proceeds derived from sale of the seals makes possible the society's work of locating handicapped children in need of medical care, procuring material aids, such as crutches and wheel chairs, rehabilitation and prevention of crippling diseases.

During the past year the society also sponsored and saw passage of state legislation providing special education for the thousands of Texas mentally alert youngsters too physically handicapped to attend regular school.

FORMER RESIDENT ELECTROCUTED AS SHE TOOK A BATH

Electrocuted the night of March 8 when her hand apparently accidentally brushed an electric heater as she sat in a bathtub was Mrs. Curtis Pfeifer, 27 years old, of Stockton, California.

Mrs. Pfeifer was the former Curtis Garner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Garner, who lived in Hamlin during her girlhood. The family left here some 12 years ago.

According to a story in the Stockton newspaper, aid was summoned by a neighbor, who heard a scream from the Pfeifer home and heard two-year-old Johnny Pfeifer running about inside the house.

The fire department rescue squad worked for some time to no avail. Dr. Theodore Hill responded but likewise could not aid the stricken woman. He pronounced her dead.

Prior to the mishap, Mrs. Pfeifer had told a neighbor that she and her son had planned to visit with friends later and she was going to take a bath.

Mrs. Pfeifer was a native of Texas.

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- Why is electricity so cheap? Because tax-paying electric companies under experienced business management have done a better and better job of bringing the benefits of electricity to more and more families at lower and lower prices.

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For downright comfort, I wouldn't swap my cottage for the finest mansion unless I could take my closet furnace with me. This, you know, is the vented gas appliance that provides luxurious automatic central heat. It was installed when house was built and is financed as part of total house cost. Therefore, central heat, considering its advantages, costs me little, if any, more than ordinary heat. No wonder Lone Star Gas Company recommends closet furnace for heating cottages. Of course, it is vented to a flue.



HAMLIN METHODIST YOUNG PEOPLE TO ATTEND AREA MEET

Fourteen Hamlin Methodist young people and adult leaders indicated Wednesday they would attend the youth rally at Stamford for Abilene and Stamford Districts of the Northwest Texas Conference Saturday evening.

The Stamford meeting is one of seven being conducted in the conference, announces Rev. W. E. Hamilton of Lubbock, executive secretary of Christian education for the conference.

Main speaker will be Rev. Hoover Rupert of Nashville, Tennessee, director of the general board's youth department, and former minister in the Kansas Conference.

The rallies are part of a nationwide cooperative effort called the National Mission to Methodist Youth which is sponsored by the youth department of the general board.

Anna Margaret McBride, president of the Hamlin Methodist Church Epworth League, will head the delegation to Stamford. Others will be Naomi and Barbara Young, Shirley Baggett, Lupe Cave, Suzanne Toler, Diane Carlton, Dora Joyce Culbertson, Nozed Hassen and J. K. Cooley; Mr. and Mrs. Brad Rowland, sponsors; Mrs. Joe Culbertson, Mrs. G. R. Bennett and Rev. E. L. Yeats.

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NEWS NOTES FROM SYLVESTER

MRS. J. M. MONTGOMERY, Correspondent

A revival meeting is in progress at the Baptist Church. Beginning last Friday, the meeting will continue through Sunday, with services twice daily. Rev. E. J. Cobb of Lockney is doing the preaching.

Among those attending the sixth annual meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference at Sweetwater last week were Mmes. F. J. McCain, G. S. Barnes, W. C. Mitchell, L. P. Lawliss and Byron Maberry.

Mrs. Tracy King was in Rotan last Wednesday.

Mrs. Claude Mitchell, Mrs. William Nazworth and Roy Mack were Roby visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Deere and daughter are visiting again in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spann were shopping in Sylvester Saturday morning.

Homer Lawlis, who is home from the Hendricks Memorial Hospital at Abilene, where he underwent surgery, is improving satisfactorily at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Babb were visiting Mrs. Babb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards, over the week-end.

Mrs. Mayme Swafford of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swafford Sr. of Loraine were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Montgomery.

Visiting in the Pursley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pursley and daughters, Mrs. L. P. Pursley and Ruth Estelle of Roby and Jack Pursley and Fred Fountain of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Jack Stone and sons, Billy and Don, were Hamlin visitors Monday.

Mrs. Reynolds has had as guests her mother, Mrs. A. M. Moon, and sisters, Lola and Mabel Moon, of Breckenridge.

Mrs. A. B. Armstrong, wife of the Methodist pastor, is visiting their

daughter and her family in Odessa for several days.

Work on the wash house is progressing. We hope it is in operation soon.

Word was received Monday morning of the death at Menard of Buno Carroll. Buno had many friends here. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Carroll, early day residents of Fisher County. Funeral was at Menard Tuesday afternoon. Besides his wife and children he is survived by several brothers and sisters, all well known here.

Sylvester boys have the baseball grounds ready for games, and plans are underway for installing lights on the field so they can have night games soon.

Superintendent E. E. Swindall of Sylvester Schools is planning to enter several contestants in the athletic track meet at Hobbs Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hollis of Sweetwater spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mrs. Hollis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jeffrey of Golan were shopping in Sylvester Saturday.

H. C. Cabaness is getting his variety store stock. This will be a big addition to Sylvester.

Mack Pursley spent the week-end at Sweetwater with his father, Jack Pursley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hawkins and W. A. were in Rotan Saturday.

HOSPITAL SKETCH

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Bowen Pope, secretary-treasurer of the association this week.

By Wednesday noon of this week funds for the hospital amount to more than \$13,000, and it is exactly two months since the board was first organized.

Pope continued: "If the people who have expressed themselves as wanting a hospital will get in with their \$50 we should be able to let a contract for the building by June 15. Look for next week's hospital news. You cannot advance \$50 in any enterprise that will pay off as much for you as in a hospital of the kind we are trying now to build."

PRELIMINARY DRAFT OF NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ACCEPTED AS BIDS SLATED IN MAY

Architect's preliminary plans for the new elementary school building for Hamlin were approved by the school board at a meeting Tuesday evening, and he was instructed to rush the completed plans and specifications for an early advertisement of bids. It is estimated that a contract might be let about May 15.

Although the scarcity of materials and current prices have presented a difficult problem in the planning, the board has striven to plan a modern building adequate for Hamlin's needs within the money available, officials of the board declare. The approved plan will not care for all the districts now in attendance. The board had to choose between plans to include more classrooms and leave out some of the features that characterize modern school planning or leave off classrooms and include these features. The board felt that since the Hamlin taxpayers were providing the money that their first obligation was to the Hamlin district.

The building, however, has been designed to care for additions should the future demand without detracting from the appearance and usefulness of the building. The building as planned provides for 14 classrooms, a library room, combination gymnasium and assembly room, and an adequate cafeteria dining hall to care for the daily hot lunches for pupils as well as occasional community banquets.

To cope with the present OPA lumber ban on all except G. I. projects, it is estimated by the board that the old building will provide enough framing and decking lumber. The

floors are to be covered with asphalt tile throughout, the ceilings with celotex type board, and the window sashes are to be of steel. According to the architect, these items are available.

Exterior walls will utilize the old brick and will be finished in a light colored oriental stucco. With the high part of the roof topped with a light green shade, the building will present a beautiful appearance and will be attractive in its plain architectural design.

Area Stockmen Dispose Of Livestock at Auction

Four Hamlin stockmen and one McCauley man were among consignors at last Thursday's livestock auction at Abilene, when a new top of 17 cents on fat yearlings was set for the season. Market was steady to higher on some classes of butcher cattle, all others steady and demand good on all classes.

Selling at the auction were: Barney Beavers of Hamlin, 12 mixed cattle; Willie Mabry of McCauley, 21 fat cattle; Sellers & Son of Hamlin, 16 mixed cattle; and Jess Young of Hamlin, 16 mixed cattle.

Memphis Man to Open Hamlin Cleaning Plant

John R. Howell this week purchased the former Greenway Tailor Shop, one and one-half blocks east of F. & M. National Bank, and will be ready to open a revamped and modern cleaning establishment within 30 days, he states.

Coming to Hamlin from Memphis, Howell is an experienced tailor. He will install new equipment in the building.

Johnston Sells Cattle at Abilene.

H. A. Johnston of Hamlin consigned 10 mixed cattle to the livestock auction at Abilene last week when the market was steady to stronger. Mixed breeds were bringing \$12.50 to \$15 per hundred pounds at the auction.

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FOR SALE—Large kitchen table, \$2.50.—Mrs. O. R. Criswell at Gyp Mill. 1p

FOR SALE—Used piano.—Mrs. M. T. Via. 1p

FOR SALE—Four-wheel trailer; priced right.—Havins Service Station, north of Herald. 1p

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YOUR HAULING appreciated—Will do any kind of hauling. Just see or call R. L. Boiles or phone 474-W, Hamlin, Texas. 21-4p

WANTED—Local representative for Luzier's cosmetics and perfumes. Write or call Mrs. Max Lanford Box 1304, Abilene, Texas. Telephone 5519. 1c

WANTED—Woman to help with morning house work.—Mrs. R. M. Myers, phone 248-W. 1p

WANTED—Woman to handle nursery at the Methodist Church Sunday mornings from 11:00 to 12:00 o'clock. Apply Mrs. John D. Ferguson or Mrs. Joe Moser. 1c

WANTED—Water well drilling. See write or call Jess Whitaker, Anson Texas. 20-4c

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Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Three-room house.—Richard Young, west of town. 20-2p

FOR SALE—167½ acres of Hood estate, eight miles northeast Hamlin; fair improvements; good well of water. See L. H. Hood at Stamford Flower Mill. 21-3p

FOR SALE—Five-room house and lot located in southeast part of town; newly papered and painted; \$2,250.—J. D. Elmore. 21-2p

FOR SALE—Five-room brick house and 12 lots in north part of Hamlin. Write Mrs. Edna Brooks, Box 1194 McCamey, Texas. 20-2p

FOR SALE—Black land farm; all in cultivation and planted in wheat and growing; four-room house, city water; joins City of Hamlin; electricity available; leased for oil, \$1 rental; \$100 per acre.—R. D. Moore, Hamlin. 20-1fc

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POULTRY RAISERS—Quick-Rid for coccidiosis, worms, germs and poultry diseases; feed it to baby chicks and laying hens. 19-1fc

Miscellaneous

BIG SHIPMENT of all types of radio batteries just received at City Electric Service. 4-tfc

LOANS, LOANS, LOANS — Farm loans; 10 to 20 years; as low as 4 per cent interest; loans for buying, refinancing or for building a new home in town; interest reasonable; monthly payments.—H. O. Cassle, tfe

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CURBING, markers and grave covers.—J. B. Smith, Rotan, Texas. 20-4p

Miscellaneous

FARM AND RANCH LOANS at four Per Cent—Why pay more? Small semi-annual payments of \$27 per thousand. See B. L. Jones, secretary-treasurer, Jones County National Farm Loan Association, Anson, Texas. Federal Land Bank Loans. 19-4c

RANCHMEN! STOCKMEN! We have all sizes Ranchmaster U. S. D. A. No. 62 screw worm smear.—Waggoner Drug, Bryant-Link Company. tfe

HAMLIN CHAPTER No. 310 R. A. M. meets every fourth Thursday night.—W. T. Johnson, H. P.; C. C. Bailey, Secretary. 21-1fc

POVERTY WEEDS — Blue weeds, Johnson, Bermuda grass, possession tie vines, thistles, nettles, etc. exterminated; no chemicals. Send stamp for particulars.—J. M. Baxley, Astro Plant Gower, 711 13th Street, Modesto, California. 19-4p

Lost and Found

WILL PERSON who found shovel marked W return to City Electric Shop? Lost Monday. 1p

LOST—Near Santa Fe depot in Hamlin, black coin purse containing \$20 and diamond ring; liberal reward.—Mrs. D. C. Gibson, 2081 North Third Street, Abilene, Texas. 1c

LOST—Three keys on safety ring. Reward for return to Middleton Service Station. 1p

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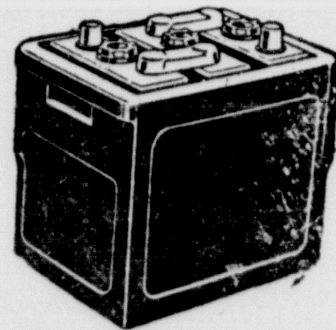
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BY GEO DARDEN

Due to the fact that this scribe is in the state of Illinois at this writing—and no home town news—we will let you in on sketches from a diary that were jotted down on the trip from McCauley through five states.

March 19—Luther Maberry and writer left Hamlin by train (doodle-bug) for Chicago and Elgin, Illinois. Arrived at Truscott at noon, where train stopped 20 minutes for lunch. Walked four blocks from the depot for a family style meal. Very good meal—only 50 cents.

Met cattleman on train from Fairview, Oklahoma. He had been to San Angelo to buy cattle. The cattleman, very interesting fellow, explained to us the good things as well as the bad pertaining to Oklahoma towns we passed through.

Arrived at Altus, Oklahoma, at 2:15 p. m. Population about 30,000. Stopped at Clinton, Oklahoma, for a few minutes. Population about 14,000. Other stops at Lone Wolf and numerous other small Oklahoma towns.

We like this Oklahoma country with its rolling prairies and white-faced cattle.

Arrived at Wichita, Kansas, at 11:40 p. m. A big town. Left at 11:59 p. m.

A young couple on train doing a lot of love making—"very country!" Guess they think all passengers were asleep, but this "snooper" has one eye open. Their "turtle doving" was terrific at times. Luther is sound asleep and missing the show. Poor boy!

March 20—Conductor tells me we will arrive at Chicago at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday.

4:35 a. m.—Just waked up as we roll into Topeka, Kansas. Quite a town. Luther still sleeps. Very difficult to keep a country boy awake.

4:45 a. m.—An elderly couple snores in seats in front of me. Never could stand snoring—gives me the jitters. Still about three and one-

half hours out of Kansas City. A heck o' fa long ways from Chicago. Porter says population of Topeka over 100,000.

Five soldiers board train at Topeka. After they attempt to adjust train seats, one soldier remarks: "The cattle cars in Africa are better than this train."

Arrived in Kansas City at 6:30 a. m. We lay over here an hour and a half. Kansas City depot like a bee-hive—people of all races and creeds. Texas folks look better. At breakfast at Fred Harvey's in K. C. approximately 50 waitresses on job serving the folks. Most of girls working at Fred Harvey's are homely looking. Pulling out of K. C. finally—long road ahead.

Folks in these parts not so friendly as in Texas. The Jews are taking the country; in fact, they have just about got it. Since the Jews cast lots for Christ's clothing they have been dealing in dry goods since.

A lot of soldiers and sailors got on train in K. C. Some can't wait to get discharges; others will re-enlist, so goes their conversation.

Seven and one-half hours out of Chicago still. People on train very sleepy-eyed. A little powder and paint and shaves for us men wouldn't hurt our looks this morning.

10:30 a. m. Wednesday—Still in Missouri. Wonder how that fellow ever got through Missouri on a mule.

12:30 p. m.—We had lunch on the dining car. Plain cheese sandwich 30 cents, pie 20 cents, coffee 15 cents, chicken sandwich 60 cents—a little steep for country boys.

1:00 p. m.—Sailors and soldiers playing poker on train; game is hot. One sailor comes down aisle feeling fine. Said he won \$50 in 10 minutes. Happily on his way to Boston.

A bar and saloon on train, several very tipsy. One lady about 60 years old (very rich, we judge) is drunk—very disgusting. She's very fat, too. The manager of diner is a Jew. Very bright, he thinks.

1:45 p. m.—Luther very interested in detective magazine. We both need shaves badly. Train too rough to risk it.

One WAC on train, a first lieutenant, and a brunette. She ignores sailors, who try to talk to her.

Passing a large apple orchard—no blooms on trees. Don't see many cattle in this state for some reason. See a few draft horses. All farmers have large red barns and two-story homes. Very nice too, look prosperous.

Passing a huge artificial lake.

House boats and smaller boats on lake.

The porter says we are in Iowa. Train now stops at Shopton, Iowa, a small town. Ten minutes later train pulls into Fort Madison, Iowa, a big town. Still five and one-half hours from Chicago.

The "Streamliner," a fast Santa Fe passenger train, just passed. Its time from Chicago to Wichita, Kansas, is seven and one-half hours; distance, 700 miles.

People in these parts not the hand shaking, back slapping type. They need a few Ted Russells up here to wake 'em up. It might be difficult for Bowen Pope to promote a hospital in these parts. People don't know the war is over here.

Tall corn stalks, some corn still remains in fields in Iowa.

Our aim is to purchase some used cars in Chicago. Hope cars not too high for pocketbooks.

Levi McCollum should be along to write insurance. Conductor tells us that Chicago gangsters still "bump" folks off for two bits. Glad we don't have but 15 cents above train fare.

A soldier comes by and says, "Conductor, break up the poker game." Soldier was disgusted.

Trains going west not crowded. Plenty of seats. We hear that east-bound trains are crowded.

Conductor takes up our tickets for Chicago. I spose that means no more stops. Arrive in Galesburg, Illinois, at 2:50 p. m. Wednesday.

Population approximately 20,000. Arrived in Peoria, Illinois, at 3:45 p. m. A good town with old looking buildings. Arrive in Streator, Illinois at 4:40 p. m. Population some 10,000; railroad town, brick plants, etc.

6:20 p. m.—In outskirts of Chicago. Arrive at 7:00 p. m. A hustle and a bustling city. Taxi drivers run

over each other trying to take us places. Hire a yellow cab to take us to electric depot to catch train for Elgin, Illinois. Board electric train for Elgin at 8:05 p. m. After train gets out of Chicago she opens up.

Conductor asks us: "How fast you think we're traveling?" I say: "Fifty miles per hour." He says: "Follow, me Texans." We go up to front of train to watch speedometer. She is doing 73 miles per hour. Never rode so fast before on an electric train. Conductor very nice. He is amazed over our Texas boots and big hats. Asks a lot of questions about Texas. We tell him tall tales—he seems to believe all of our big lies.

Arrive at Elgin, Illinois, at 9:30 p. m., 40 miles-out of Chicago. Stopped every few minutes for passengers. Elgin is an old town, approximately 140 years old. Population 42,000. The home of Elgin watches.

We go to Milner Hotel, where the clerk says: "Full up." We walk another two blocks and arrive at the Fox Hotel; got a nice room for \$4 per day for the two of us. A fresh shave and hot baths after 36 hours on trains sure helps.

Thursday Morn—Eat breakfast of bacon and eggs and coffee—good bacon, too. Start looking for used cars. Bought two cars fair and square, then the fellows back out. These people seem afraid to sell. They know nothing about trading. Seem to think if their cars leave the state they will never get another. Cleaner cars here than in Texas—no sand and bad roads.

Thursday night—Luther goes to picture show. I stay in hotel and copy notes from my diary for McCauley Pot-Shots.

Going back to Chicago tomorrow. Hope McCauley and Hamlin folks tip-top.

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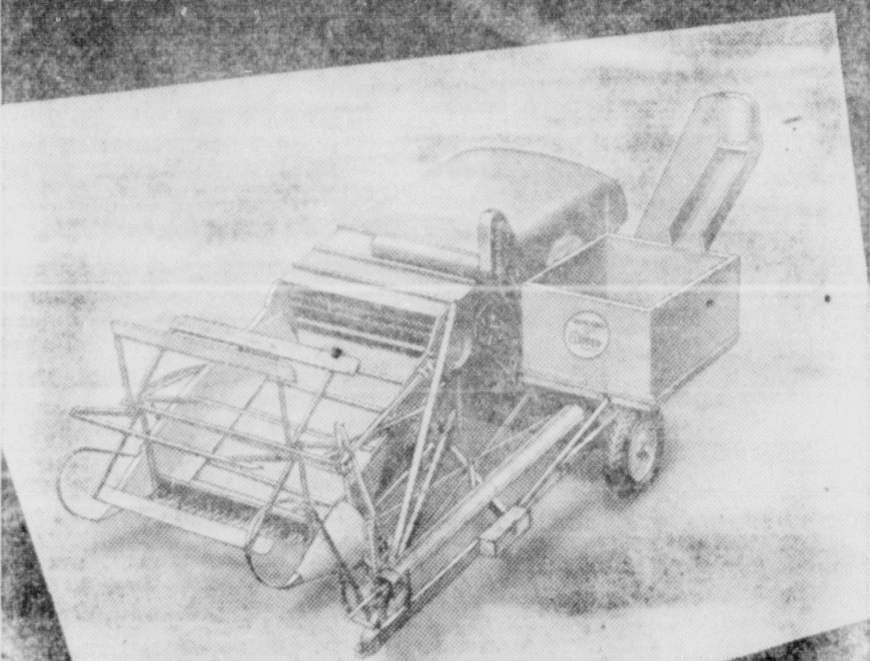
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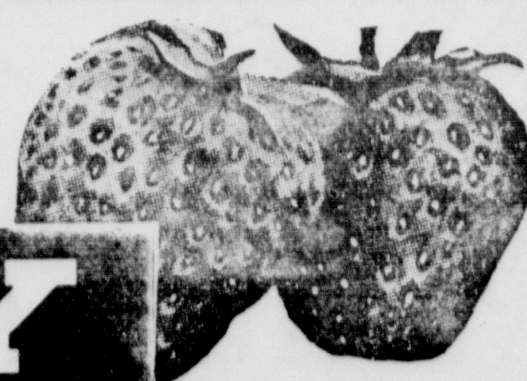
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